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Pre-signup points to fewer students at 5 elementaries

The pre-registration of elementary-aged students here has produced figures indicating some 170 fewer students signed up for classes through the sixth grade, but school officials say they doubt any decrease of this size will be noted when a final number is figured come Sept. 1.

The count Wednesday was 1,725 students registered compared to last year's total of 1,898.

Superintendent Bob Hawes said Thursday morning that he expects enrollment this year will be down, "But not at this magnitude."

He noted campus principals and their staff were calling families Thursday inquiring if they missed the pre-registration Tuesday.

"We really expect some families just didn't get the word and many were on vacation," Hawes said.

The pre-registration totals reflected a drop in student numbers at every elementary campus with the exception of West, where approximately the same number as last year was reported with a net increase of eight students.

The campuses losing the largest number were Central and East Elementaries, where 50-plus fewer students were counted. At Central, a loss of 56 was noted, while East had 50 fewer enrolled.

Other losses included 39 students at Northeast, 28 students at Stanfield and eight students at North. In all, the student pre-registration count was down some 173 students.

By campus, the totals reported Wednesday, with last year's count shown in parenthesis, were: North, 215 (223); Central,

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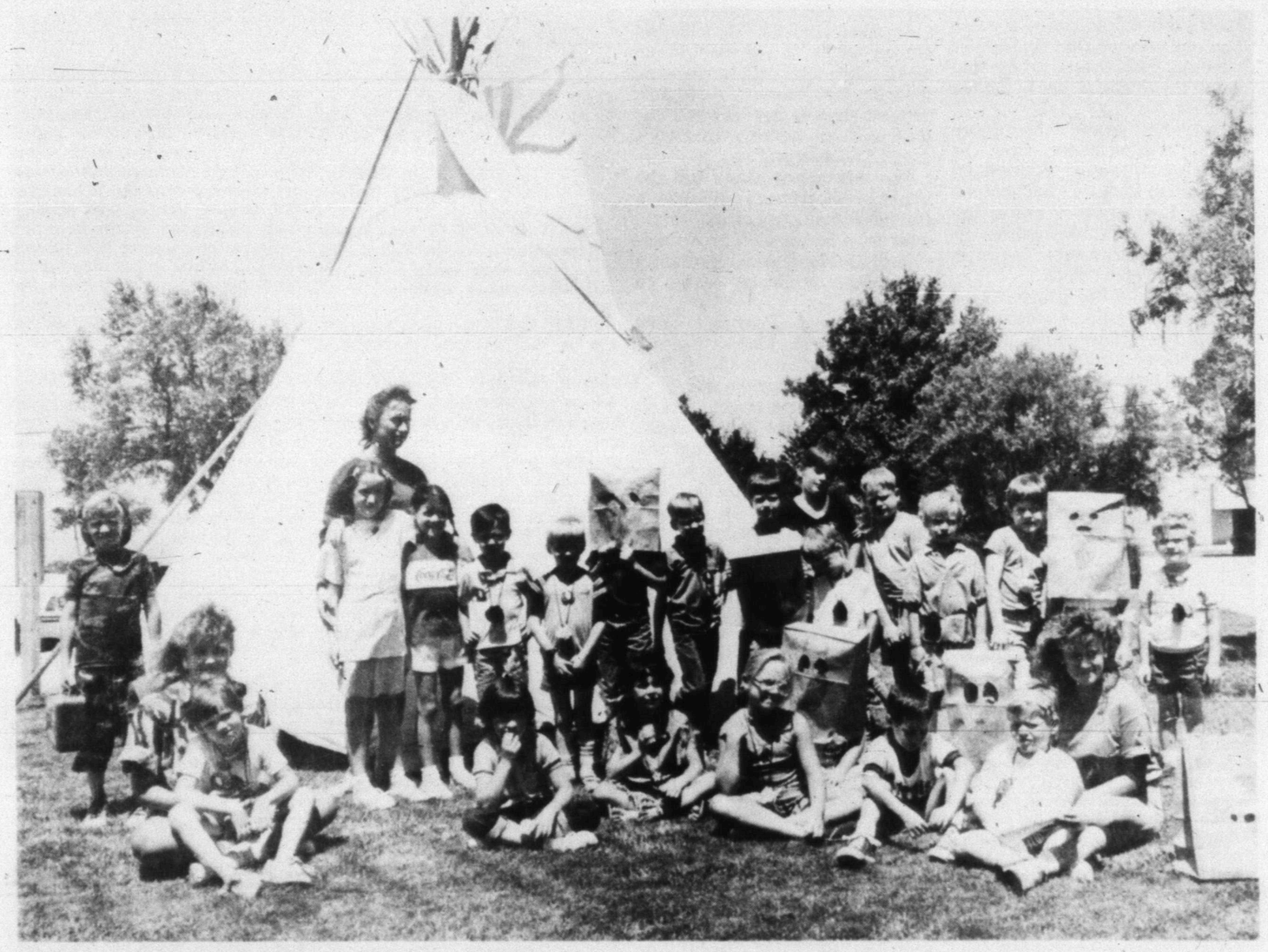
Ask Us

Q. — Why is there not a signal light at the corner of Ave. R and 23rd St.?

A. — City officials say there just isn't the traffic volume there to justify it. The City of Snyder uses the same rule of thumb for placing traffic lights as the state highway department. Following this criteria, the city had the state check a busier intersection than the one mentioned, College Ave. and 24th St. which leads to the post office, and it did not have sufficient traffic flow to warrant a signal light.



LITTLE INDIANS — Children made tom-toms, Buffalo masks, Indian necklaces and peace pipes during a study of Plains Indians this week at the Scurry County Museum. They also ate lunch in the tepee that had been erected on the museum lawn and snacked on Buffalo meat. (SDN Staff Photo)

Budget hearing set today

School proposes tax rate increase

A public hearing is slated at 6 p.m. Thursday for the Snyder ISD school budget--an operating estimate now projected slightly below last year's total.

Even with a decrease in spending, however, the district currently projects a tax rate increase in the range of 10 cents per $100 valuation.

The tax rate for the school district during 1986 was 81.8 cents.

Any projected increase for the district is expected to still be well below the "effective tax rate" calculation for it this year--an estimate which figures the rate needed to raise the same amount of taxes as required last year based upon current tax values.

The "effective tax rate" calculated for Snyder ISD by the appraisal district is $1.22, a figure driven upward due to declines in the tax base equaling some 30 percent.

In terms of budget totals, the new estimate is now placed at some $12.5 million. Last year's total was $12.6 million.

The school board is scheduled to meet at 5:30 p.m. for a brief work session related to the budget, then to conduct the public hearing at 6 p.m.

Most of the school budget work was hammered out in late June when trustees held week-long sessions to study budget cuts.

Following Thursday's budget workshop, a school board meeting is slated at 6:30 p.m. during which the board is to consider adopting a school tax rate and the 1987-88 school budget.

Other agenda items scheduled for the meeting include a request from a local teacher who has indicated in a letter addressed to the board that he favors granting career ladder status to all teachers within the system who are eligible.

Expected to meet with trustees is high school instructor and tennis coach Charlie Chrane.

The granting of career ladder status, classified as Level II under state guidelines, insures the teacher receives a $1,500 supplemental payment.

Other agenda items for the meeting include:

—Amending the 1986-87 budget to meet estimated expenses and revenues to actual expenses and revenues.

—Officially appointing Nick Williams as the new assistant superintendent for business. He is to also be appointed as the

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In Brief

Trial in limbo

SAN ANTONIO, Texas (AP) — The assault trial of U.S. Rep. Henry B. Gonzalez is in limbo after judges continued to distance themselves from the case.

As of midnight Wednesday, an order placing the case in the court of Court-at-Law Judge Anthony Ferro expired, leaving the case with no presiding judge and no trial date.

Judge Joe Kelly of the 4th Administrative Judicial Region of Texas had ordered Ferro to preside over a pre-trial hearing.

Gonzalez's attorneys asked that Court-at-Law Judge Timothy Johnson excused himself from hearing the case because he could not be impartial.

Two expelled

MOSCOW (AP) — The Soviet Union today ordered a Japanese military attache and a businessman out of the country after accusing them of espionage.

Another Japanese diplomat also was suspected of espionage but was not expelled, said Gennady I. Gerasimov, chief spokesman for the Soviet foreign ministry.

Weapons 'sting' in Midland

MIDLAND, Texas (AP) — A self-proclaimed mercenary who said the Iranian government sent him to barter for $2 million in stolen missile parts was snared in a county sheriff's international sting operation, officials say.

Victor Manuel Fonseca, 47, of Lisbon, Portugal, was arrested Wednesday while inspecting crates he believed contained parts for the sophisticated Hawk missile system, Midland County Sheriff Gary Painter said.

Fonseca, arrested in an airplane hangar in this West Texas city while opening crates labeled "oilfield equipment," remained in the Midland County Jail today in lieu of $500,000 bond and charged with organized criminal activity, Painter said.

The offense, a second-degree felony punishable by up to 20 years in state prison and a $10,000 fine, is a violation of Texas law. The case will be presented to a grand jury later, Painter said.

The U.S. Customs Service, meanwhile, said it was launching an investigation of the operation.

German, local boy 'exchanging' visits

By Shirley A. Gorman
SDN News Editor

Brett Morton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Toby Morton, visited in Germany this summer as part of the local International Youth Exchange Program which is supported by local individuals, clubs and organizations. Overseas trips are arranged through the local Rotary Club and Rotary International.

Morton left Snyder on June 18 and returned July 27. He had been staying with the Dossler family in Haan, Germany. Upon his return, he brought 16-year-old Marc Dossler with him. Dossler will remain in Snyder until Aug. 27.

Morton also visited in East Germany which he described as "scary." "It was like taking a step back to the 1950s," he explained.

Except for trips to Mexico, this was Morton's first journey outside the United States. He visited in Cologne where he saw the Roman ruins--Trier--and stayed in Assmannshausen which is a town on the Rhine River. He also visited both East and West Berlin.

Since Dossler was still in high school while Morton was visiting, he spent two weeks attending classes with his new-found German friend.

In Germany, students only attend school for a half a day and they stay in the classroom while the teachers change classes.

One thing Morton noticed while in school in Germany was all the graffiti that was written everywhere.

"We rode bikes almost eveywhere we went," Morton said. "The weather was warm for the first three weeks, around 80-85 degrees, but then the temperatures dropped to around 50 degrees," he said.

Morton and the Dosslers rode to Berlin in a Mercedes which sped along between 120-140 mph.

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EXCHANGE VISITS--Brett Morton, left, visited in Germany this summer and Marc Dossler of Germany is now staying with him. The two visits were arranged through the local International Youth Exchange Program. (SDN Staff Photo)

Teacher workshop due Friday

Snyder ISD will sponsor Friday a workshop for classroom teachers related to implementing the state-mandated instruction for "gifted and talented" students.

The session will be held in the Western Texas College Fine Arts Theater from 8:30 a.m. until 4 p.m. Dr. Bertie Kingore of Hardin-Simmons will offer instruction.

Teachers can earn advanced academic training credit for the voluntary session. They must first obtain an application from their campus principal which must be submitted to the superintendent's office before Friday.

The SDN Column

By Roy McQueen

The feller on Deep Creek says, "It's now possible to go crazy without being noticed."

You may have chosen to ignore the fact on July 4, but back-to-school time is approaching. Stores have been edging up the Christmas season for some time, but this year marks the earliest time for back-to-school.

We looked back and our first back-to-school sale advertisement ran on July 4. School had been out for the summer just over a month. That might have been premature, but school really is just around the corner.

Youngsters usually work in a trip to grandma's house during summer vacation. In the old days, grandparents often lived on a farm and kids from the city got rare experiences of life on the farm.

Times do change. Grandson and the entire family drove to South Texas to visit grandma and grandpa in their new town house.

After the visit, the grandson told his friends: "They live in a place with a bunch of other retarded people, and they all wear name tags so they'll know who they are. And they have security guards so they won't run away."

Speaking of being locked up, a Snyder delegation recently traveled to Palestine to tour the new TDC facility which opened this month. We were impressed with the modern prison facility.

On the way home we were thinking about such a facility in Scurry County. Only one negative thought popped in our head about a prison in Snyder:

We'd hate to see so many of ole what's-her-name's relatives living that close.

Local

Yearbooks in

The Snyder High School yearbooks have arrived and distribution will begin Thursday from 4 until 6 p.m. in the foyer of Worsham Auditorium at SHS.

The books will be given out next week also from 4 until 6 p.m. and a yearbook signing party is scheduled Friday from 7 until 8:30 p.m. in the foyer.

ACS change

A meeting of the American Cancer Society originally scheduled next Monday has been postponed until Sept. 21, local officials report.

Weather

Snyder Temperatures: High Wednesday, 96 degrees; low, 72 degrees; reading at 7 a.m. Thursday, 72 degrees; no precipitation; total precipitation for 1987 to date, 16.14 inches.

Snyder Area Forecast: Tonight and Friday, mostly fair, low near 70 and high in upper 90s. Wind south 5 to 15 mph.

Man is reunited with family

SAN JOSE, Calif. (AP) — A man separated from his 10 siblings when they were given up by their destitute parents on the eve of the Depression embraced two sisters in a tearful reunion and said the "empty spot inside" is gone.

"It's been a long time," 62-year-old Ed Maddox said as he wrapped his arms around his sister Agnes Durand at an airport gate Wednesday on her arrival from Minneapolis. Another sister, Marie Peterson, arrived from Sacramento.

Except for a reunion with Marie and her twin sister, Lillian, when Maddox was a 17-year-old soldier leaving for World War II, Maddox hadn't seen or spoken to any of his siblings since he was 4.

His parents put their children up for adoption in 1929 rather than see them go hungry, according to newspaper accounts at the time, but Maddox didn't know that until he began looking into his roots this summer.

Reeling through microfilm of The (Oakland) Tribune, the 62-year-old Christian missionary from Sunland, near Los Angeles, was stunned to find a photograph of himself and two siblings in a front-page 1929 story.

News accounts of his search helped him account for five siblings earlier this month.

"All these years, I would visit my wife's relatives," said Maddox, blinking back tears Wednesday. "I would have an empty spot inside. But not any more, not any more."

The reunion at San Jose International Airport joined not only the siblings but about three dozen cousins and aunts and uncles, all meeting for the first time.

"When I was little I always wanted cousins," said Jeannie Noia, of Fremont, Agnes' daughter, who introduced her children to their second cousins.

Maddox, born Edmund Birdsel Bunan, was adopted by an Oakland streetcar motorman and his wife. He honored the couple's request that he not look into his past until his adoptive mother's death. She died in July.

The 1929 article described the plight of his parents, Agnus and Harry Bunan, itinerant farmworkers who arrived broke outside of Oakland and reluctantly gave their children away to strangers.

Marie and Lillian were reunited with Maddox in 1943 just before he went into the Navy, but they lost touch after the war.

Maddox's bittersweet search determined that a brother, Ernest, died in an orphanage and that another brother, Henry, died in 1972. Maddox still has no word of five siblings: Viola, Walter, Leonard, Harold and Lloyd.

"I wish all of them had been alive," said Maddox. "But of course I have no control over that. I'm hoping and praying we can find the rest."

Maddox and his sisters will go next to Castro Valley to visit Lillian, who is in a nursing home with Alzheimer's disease.

The siblings still have heard nothing about their parents, whom they never saw after they were taken in by various families.

CIA official revises account of involvement in Contra aid

WASHINGTON (AP) — A ranking CIA official, correcting his previous testimony, says he made a secret trip to South Africa in 1984 in which he was prepared to reject an apparent offer to aid the Nicaraguan Contra rebels.

Duane Clarridge, who in 1984 was director of the agency's covert support for the Contras, in previous closed-door testimony denied having discussed providing aid for the Contras with officials of a foreign government and said there was no discussion within the CIA of soliciting funds from other countries.

Clarridge's revised account came in testimony released Wednesday by the congressional Iran-Contra committees. The transcript also shows that committee members sharply questioned Clarridge's memory when he insisted he did not know weapons were included in a November 1985 cargo shipment he helped arrange from Israel to Iran.

Clarridge said he was told the cargo was oil-drilling parts, and he only learned later that it included U.S.-made Hawk missiles. Other witnesses have testified he received cables on the arms shipment as it was being arranged.

Another document released by the committees contradicts statements by Vice President George Bush about the Iran-Contra affair, The Washington Post reported today. It said retired CIA agent Felix I. Rodriguez is quoted in a report as having said in February 1985 his "primary commitment" during a mission to Central America was to help the Contras.

Rodriguez had been sent to El Salvador with assistance from Bush's office, and the vice president has insisted that Rodriguez' principal mission was to help that country's air force, not to aid the Contras.

Clarridge made the South African trip on orders from the late CIA Director William J. Casey after Congress had banned further U.S. military aid to the Contras and administration officials considered other ways to sustain the rebel forces.

According to the transcript of his private Aug. 4 testimony before the House and Senate Iran-Contra committees, Clarridge said he learned once he was in South Africa that it was not prepared to help the Contras.

Bacteria linked to deaths

NORFOLK, Va. (AP) — A common ocean bacteria caused the deaths of more than 200 dolphins that washed ashore in the mid-Atlantic this summer, according to a team of scientists who plan more tests to determine why.

The infections developed because the dolphins' immune systems had been weakened by a virus, toxins, chemicals or a combination of factors, said Joseph R. Geraci, the head of a scientific investigative team.

"Our first thrust now is to intensify our search for viruses and other agents," Geraci told a news conference Wednesday. "If we can find a point source of the problem, perhaps we can do something to control it."

Since early July, more than 200 dead and dying dolphins have been stranded on beaches from Virginia to New Jersey. Usually, about 12 dead dolphins wash ashore in that area each year.

A virus is a likely culprit because the outbreak has been limited to bottlenose dolphins and has spread rapidly, said Geraci, a marine pathologist and veterinarian from the University of Guelph in Ontario.

The animals had mouth lesions suggestive of a viral disorder, he said.

"We might find a virus very, very peculiar to dolphins," Geraci said.

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Dr. Gott

Peter Gott, M.D.

Beer belly can be a danger sign

DEAR DR. GOTT — Is a beer belly a sign of cirrhosis of the liver?

DEAR READER — The abdominal protuberance that often appears in people who drink excessive amounts of beer can be due to liver disease. In heavy drinkers, fat is deposited in the liver and will cause it to enlarge. Fluid also can leak out of the abdominal lining, pool in the abdominal cavity and cause swelling. This is called ascites.

Once fatty infiltration occurs in the liver, inflammation may develop, scarring takes place and the liver shrinks. This is cirrhosis and is the end result of alcoholic liver damage.

Most patients with "beer belly" have simply become overweight, and the fat is distributed in the abdominal wall. Beer supplies a lot of unneeded calories. Nonetheless, when I see a beer drinker with a prominent abdomen, I worry about liver disease and will obtain a blood test to assess liver function.

DEAR DR. GOTT — Sometimes my husband's heart beats so loudly that I think someone's driving by with a flat tire. This only happens at night when he's lying down. Tests reveal nothing. What is the reason for the loud beat?

DEAR READER — Forceful heart contractions are often called palpitations. They occur in a variety of situations.

Extra heartbeats are followed by contractions that are more forceful than normal. Patients may not be aware of the weak extra beats, but they usually sense the succeeding harder contractions.

This peculiarity is explained by a physiological phenomenon called Starling's law, which, stated simply, means that the strength of a heartbeat is proportional to the amount of blood entering the heart's chambers. When an extra beat occurs, the heart pauses while it waits for the normal beating pattern to be established. Therefore, more filling takes place and the first normal beat will be more vigorous. If extra beats occur regularly, a patient may experience several minutes of normal but stronger beats. This does not necessarily indicate a heart abnormality.

Starling's law also affects people when they change body position from upright to supine, because gravity encourages more blood to enter the heart when we are lying down. Therefore, normal beating can be more vigorous.

Finally, people are often more aware of their heartbeats when they go to bed. The environment is quieter and attention is focused on internal workings, rather than on external events. Palpitations are common soon after they retire to bed.

By obtaining a Holter monitor — a 24-hour cardiogram recorded continuously by a portable unit — a doctor should be able to identify the cause of your husband's loud heartbeats. Your husband should request an examination and a Holter monitor from the doctor.

If you have questions about MENOPAUSE, you can get answers in Dr. Gott's new Health Report on the subject. Send $1 to P.O. Box 91369, Cleveland, OH 44101-3369, be sure to ask for the Health Report on Menopause.

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Gifted/talented workshop slated

Snyder ISD will provide a workshop for classroom teachers from 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. Friday at the Western Texas College Fine Arts Theater. Dr. Bertie Kingore of Hardin-Simmons University will be the presenter.

Teachers will be learning concepts in gifted education in preparation for implementating the state's plan which mandates gifted instruction in the regular classroom for students in grades 1-12 by 1990.

Addresses sought for 3 graduates of Hermleigh High

The Hermleigh High School class of 1937 will have its 50 year reunion on Oct. 3.

Addresses are needed for the following three graduates: Max Duncan, Richard Sheehan and Kathleen Wilson.

Anyone having information about these three people is asked to contact Viola Gracey at 573-5595 or 2700 33rd St.

Rosson receives outstanding honor

Jim C. Rosson, business education instructor at Snyder High School, has been recognized as an "Outstanding Business Educator." This recognition occurred at the Gregg Methods Conference co-sponsored by the University of Central Florida and the Gregg Division of the McGraw-Hill Book Company which was held the week of July 12 in Orlando, Fla.

The "Outstanding Business Educator" distinction was presented to those business educators who have demonstrated dedication to business education and to high standards of professionalism.

Dear Abby

Readers Raise a Racket Over Annoying Sounds

By Abigail Van Buren

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DEAR ABBY: Your response to "BJ DuBiel, Welches, Ore.," who complained of a whistling neighbor, was a little shallow. Rhetorically asking whether she would prefer worse disturbances (neighbors who screamed, fought and threw things, or whose kids played loud rock music) sidesteps the issue of how to deal with a neighbor who's bugging you.

You suggested sending him something to wet his whistle. I suggest sending him a box of crackers each week, along with a picture of Whistler's mother, signed, "I love you, son, but you're driving me off my rocker!"

ROBIN READ,
ANAHEIM, CALIF.

DEAR ROBIN (a misnomer for someone who opposes chirping): Hear this from more vocally discordant readers:

DEAR ABBY: You put a real guilt trip on the lady who complained about a neighbor who whistled from morning to night. While I'm sure this happy, cheerful man is totally unaware that he's offending anyone, I think this should be a message to all of us who live within earshot of each other.

As much as I enjoy the beautiful chirping of birds in my yard, if one particular bird sat on my patio and chirped the same melody every day, all day long, I probably would be ready to gag him with a Band-Aid!

The neighbor was not being unkind, Abby; she was simply saying that the same tune morning, noon and night, day in and day out, was getting to her.

CHERE ATHERTON,
PHOENIX

DEAR ABBY: I have never disagreed so completely with you as on your advice to the lady whose neighbor whistles.

Are you mad? Just because the racket is not made with a tuba or a drum or family squabbles does not make it any less annoying! Oh, Lord, were you ever off the beam on this one.

STEAMED IN FRESNO

DEAR ABBY: Constant whistling, even if it's pleasant and in perfect tune, can be as much a form of noise pollution as those wind chimes and office hummers you have discussed in your column. Any sound, if it's constant and beyond one's power to control, can become a form of torture. The world is noisy. Give me some peace and quiet, at least in my own home!

BETTY ALBRIGHT,
SAN FRANCISCO

DEAR ABBY: I used to work with a man who walked up and down the halls whistling. How I hated it! I was never so glad to see anyone retire as I was when he did. Sure, there are worse things, but listening to continuous whistling is like a bug that swarms around your head. At first you try to ignore it until it becomes so irritating that all your energy and attention are focused on one thing — getting rid of the pest!

FEELING FOR BJ
IN HOUSTON

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DEAR ABBY: I have been engaged for four months, and have now come to realize that I am not in love with this girl. However, I don't know how to tell her. I know it will break her heart if I call it off between us, but I cannot live with her for the rest of my life. She's a fine person, but I don't love her.

Please tell me how to tell her. I truly need your advice. I can't sleep nights worrying about this dilemma.

TOSSING AND TURNING

DEAR TOSSING: You expressed yourself very clearly to me. The fewer words the better. And the sooner, the better. Be kind. Be honest. Be firm. And begone.

* * *

(Every teen-ager should know the truth about sex, drugs and how to be happy. For Abby's booklet, "What Every Teen-Ager Ought to Know," send a check or money order for $2.50 and a long, stamped (39 cents), self-addressed envelope to: Dear Abby, Teen Booklet, P.O. Box 447, Mount Morris, Ill. 61054.)

Astro-Graph

By Bernice Bede Osol

Your Birthday

Friday, Aug. 21, 1987

Luck will play a prominent role in your affairs in the year ahead, just at the time you'll need it the most. People born under the signs of Sagittarius or Aries could also be fortunate for you.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) Don't confuse wishful thinking with positive thinking today. There is a big difference. positive thinking produces results; wishful thinking doesn't. Major changes are ahead for Leos in the coming year. Send for your Astro-Graph predictions today. Mail $1 to Astro-Graph, c/o this newspaper, P.O. Box 91428, Cleveland, OH 44101-3428. Be sure to state your zodiac sign.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) Even though a close friend may disagree with you today, your pal is still entitled to his or her opinions. Don't make a big deal about it.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) Let practicality guide your behavior today. If not, there is a chance you may do something foolish opposed to your better judgment.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) You are innately independent and industrious. These are admirable qualities, but today you may attempt tasks that can't be accomplished without assistance.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) Be fair and honest in your commercial affairs today, but don't give away the store. When you make a concession, be sure you get something in return.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) Don't be wishy-washy today if you are placed in a position where a firm stance is required. Showing a little backbone will get you the respect you deserve.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) Although your intentions will be good, it will be easier for you to make promises today than it will be for you to fulfill them when you're called on to do so.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) Your generous and giving nature could work to your detriment today if you get involved with the wrong people. Select companions whose ideals complement yours.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) Be grateful for any small advantages you gain today in your dealings with others. Disappointment will be the companion of unreasonable expectations.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) Don't let your optimism regarding an important issue crowd out your common sense today. Rely on realistic evaluations.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) Be extremely careful today in the management of your resources. Above all, don't let a friend make any financial commitments for you without your approval.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) If you are lackadaisical about doing things today that you know should be done, the goals that you've set for yourself will not be attained.

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Nathan Hale was hanged in New York by the British for being a spy on Sept. 22, 1776. Under Gen. George Washington's direct orders, Hale had disguised himself as a Dutch schoolmaster and made his way into New York, only to be captured by the British. His last words before dying have become immortal. They were: "I only regret I have but one life to lose for my country."

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Richard
Happy 13th
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Love, Debra

CWC LUNCHEON — The Snyder Christian Women's Club met Aug. 12 at Snyder Country Club for a luncheon meeting with a back-to-school theme. Betty Thompson (left) provided special music and Judy McLarty was the featured speaker. Both are teachers with the Snyder ISD. Li'l Rascals hosted a school fashions show. (SDN Staff Photo)

Community Calendar

THURSDAY

Overeaters Anonymous, a program for out-of-control eating; St. John's Episcopal Church Parish Hall; 2214 42nd St. All are welcome; the meeting is free; 4 p.m. For more information, call Joann at 573-9839.

Weight Watchers of West Texas; basement of First Presbyterian Church; 6 p.m. New members welcome and should register at 5:30 p.m.

Deep Creek Chapter ABWA; Golden Corral; 6:30 p.m.

Tiger Shark Swim Club; WTC; 6-18 years of age; 6:30-7:30 p.m.; for more information, call Mike Harrison at 573-8511 ext 283.

Alateen; for the children of alcoholics; 7 p.m. For more information, call 573-2101.

Snyder Coin Club; West Texas State Bank community room; 7:30 p.m.

Snyder Chapter 450 Order of the Eastern Star; Masonic Lodge; 8 p.m.

Scurry County Alcoholics Anonymous; Winston Park Building, off 37th St. in Winston Park; 8 p.m. For more information, call 573-4870 or 573-1357.

FRIDAY

Story Time for Preschoolers; Scurry County Library; 10 a.m.

Duplicate bridge; Snyder Country Club; 1:30 p.m.

Cornelius Dodson House; open to public 2:30-5 p.m.

Tiger Shark Swim Club; WTC; 6-18 years of age; 4-5:30 p.m.; for more information, call Mike Harrison at 573-8511 ext 283.

Al-Anon; Chapel of Roses, Ave. K and 13th St.; 8 p.m. For more information call 573-2101.

Alcoholics Anonymous; Ave. K and 13th St.; 8 p.m. For more information, call 573-2101.

SATURDAY

Diamond M Museum, open from 1-4 p.m.

People Without Partners; Inadale Community Center; games of 42 and dominoes; 6:30 p.m.

Sparkle City Squares; dance at Old Gym, Ira; 8-10 p.m.; Randy Phillips, caller.

Narcotics Anonymous; Winston Park building, off 37th St. in Winston Park; 8 p.m. For more information, call 573-3956 or 573-0414.

SUNDAY

Scurry County Alcoholics Anonymous; Winston Park building, off 37th St. in Winston Park; 10 a.m. For more information, call 573-4870 or 573-1357.

Scurry County Museum, Western Texas College, open from 1-4 p.m.

Diamond M Museum, open from 1-4 p.m.

Duplicate Bridge Club; Snyder Country Club; 1:30 p.m.

SCOUT PROJECT — With money earned by selling ads and concessions for the Scurry County Rodeo, scout leaders (from left) Linda Jones, Betty Bredemeyer and JoAnn Cearley have been laying tile on the floor of the new girl scout building at 2300 35th St. (SDN Staff Photo)

Combine cheese and pasta to make robust deli salad

PASTA AND MOZZARELLA SALAD — This robust combination is adapted from the takeout line at the neighborhood deli. You can substitute any medium-sized pasta for the corkscrew macaroni to meet your tastes. (AP Photo)

By NANCY BYAL
Better Homes and Gardens
Food Editor

Delis and gourmet takeout shops have made pasta salads as popular and easy to find as coleslaw. One of our readers adapted this robust cheese and pasta combination from one she enjoyed from a neighborhood deli.

I serve the hearty Parmesan dressing with mixed greens or other vegetable salads, too. You can substitute elbow macaroni, small shells, wagon wheels or other medium-sized pasta for the corkscrew macaroni.

PASTA AND MOZZARELLA SALAD

8 ounces corkscrew macaroni
10 ounces fresh spinach, torn
8 ounces mozzarella cheese, cubed
8 ounces thinly sliced mild pepper ham or fully cooked ham, chopped
4-ounce can diced green chili peppers, drained
Parmesan Dressing
Grated Parmesan cheese

Cook macaroni according to package directions. Drain. Toss macaroni with dressing; add spinach, mozzarella, ham and chili peppers. Cover and chill. At serving time, top each serving with 2 tablespoons grated Parmesan. Makes 6 to 8 servings.

Parmesan Dressing: Place 1 egg in blender container. Cover; blend 5 seconds. With blender running, slowly add 1 cup salad oil until thick. Add ½ cup grated Parmesan cheese, ¼ cup white wine vinegar, ½ to 1 teaspoon pepper, ½ teaspoon salt, ¼ teaspoon ground cloves and 1 to 2 cloves garlic, minced. Blend until smooth.

Nutrition information per serving: 629 cal., 29 g pro., 34 g carbo., 50 g fat; 96 mg chol., 1,055 mg sodium. U.S. RDA: 72 percent vit. A, 92 percent vit. C, 46 percent thiamine, 29 percent riboflavin, 22 percent niacin, 46 percent calcium, 19 percent iron, 44 percent phosphorus.

There was a panic on Wall Street Sept. 24, 1869 — Black Friday — when financiers Jay Gould and James Fisk attempted to corner the gold market. The U.S. government had to step in to restore order.

Researcher intrigued by pesty cockroaches

BLACKSBURG, Va. (AP) — Most folks think of cockroaches as pests, but not researcher Mary Ross.

She sees the hundreds of thousands of them in her laboratory as the perfect guinea pigs: easy to reproduce, easy to feed, easy to house and not the sort of beast that animal lovers go out of their way to shield from the perils of laboratory work.

"I don't mind working with a German cockroach," Ms. Ross said in an interview at her Virginia Tech lab stacked high with containers of wiggling roaches. "When you keep it in a jar and keep it clean, it's not bad — a lot better than flies."

Ms. Ross, a professor of entomology, has studied the German cockroach, the most common roach, for nearly 30 years in the same laboratory.

She boasts the world's largest collection of mutant roaches — about 60 different types that can be detected by the naked eye of someone well versed in the anatomy of normal roaches. Laboratory equipment must be used to observe the more subtle mutations of others.

Some mutants feature different eye colors: green, purple dark red, "a very pretty color of pink" and a striped pink. Others have different skin colors or unusual bubbles on their skins.

"They're very easy to rear," Ms. Ross said. "That's the thing that makes them an excellent laboratory animal."

A female can carry up to 40 nymphs in its tiny egg case. About all Ms. Ross' roaches need is a bit of screen to climb on in their jars. Their diet: dry nuggets of dog food.

Ms. Ross said she didn't face opposition from animal rights activists who protest the use of dogs and other animals in experiments.

B&PW meets for new year

The Business and Professional Women's Club met Aug. 14 for a dinner meeting in the home of Faye McCollum.

Ruby Butts, president, appointed two additional representatives to the Martha Ann Woman's Club. They are Jimmie Cooper and Faye McCollum; they will join Clemey Andress.

Andress distributed tickets to the "Western Wingding" featuring the Singing Cowboys and a barbecue to be held Sept. 3 at Martha Ann Woman's Club. Tickets may be purchased from any club member.

Lee Weaver and Ethel Mae Sturdivant gave presentations of new and old cookbooks.

Frances Brown gave a brief review of new fall fashions and as club photographer, showed pictures of last year's costume party. She also described a southern resort as a favorable vacation spot.

Club yearbooks will be passed out at the September meeting.

Members were urged to attend the game day at Martha Ann Woman's Club Wednesday.

Patsy Brown assisted as cohostess to the meeting.

Bridge

James Jacoby

NORTH 8-20-87
♠ 6 3 2
♥ 4 3
♦ 9 8 7
♣ A K 10 8 7

WEST
♠ Q 8
♥ 8 7 5 2
♦ K Q J 10 4
♣ 5 3

EAST
♠ K 9 7 4
♥ 6
♦ 6 5 3 2
♣ J 6 4 2

SOUTH
♠ A J 10 5
♥ A K Q J 10 9
♦ A
♣ Q 9

Vulnerable: North-South
Dealer: South

West	North	East	South
			1 ♥
Pass	1 NT	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	3 ♣	Pass	4 NT
Pass	5 ♦	Pass	6 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

Opening lead: ♠ K

A little more insurance

By James Jacoby

South may have been hallucinating when he jumped to four no-trump asking for aces. There was nothing in North's bidding to suggest that he had values that would justify a slam contract. But this time South was lucky, since the North cards supported quite a decent play for six hearts. Most overbidders play their cards well (they have to, to avoid going broke), and South was no exception.

He won the ace of diamonds and drew trumps. He could see that he had all 13 tricks if the jack of clubs fell under the Q-K-A. If it didn't, he might need to find either the K-Q of spades or any doubleton spade honor in the East hand. All of those chances improved the probability of the slam succeeding, but declarer wanted even more insurance. And he found it. Instead of playing queen and a club, he led the club nine from his hand and overtook with the 10 in dummy. Naturally East won the jack and returned a diamond. Declarer trumped, overtook the club queen in dummy and was able to discard three losing spades on the good clubs. Although this play sacrificed the best chance for a overtrick, it paid off in today's layout, and the slam was made.

But what if East had allowed the club 10 to win the trick? Declarer can now play a spade to his jack. West will win the queen and try to cash a diamond. South will ruff and play the club queen to the A-K. When the club jack does not fall, South can now try another spade finesse. That wins, and the slam is still made.

A new book by James Jacoby and his father, the late Oswald Jacoby, is now available at bookstores. It is "Jacoby on Card Games," published by Pharos Books.

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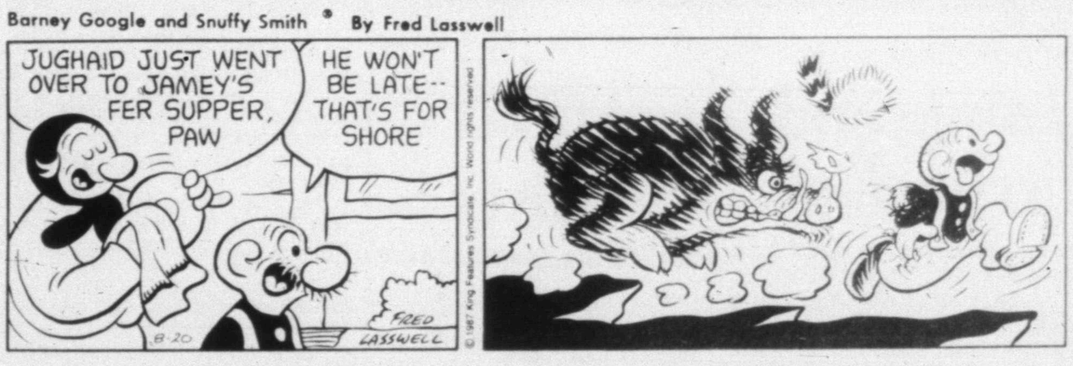

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ACROSS

1 Small organisms
4 Levis
9 Metric foot
10 Discharge
13 Orient
14 Roselike flower
15 Genus of rodents
16 Western hemisphere organization (abbr.)
17 Slippery
18 Carpenter's tool
20 Tortoise's rival
23 Winter sport
26 Dividing wall
30 Missile type (abbr.)
31 Demons
33 Gold (Sp.)
34 Mae West role
35 Acting award
36 Villain in "Othello"
37 _____ fly
39 Required
41 Warm colors
43 Poetic preposition
44 Phrase of understanding (2 wds.)
47 Single thing
49 Sticky stuff
52 Unstable
55 Steel source
56 Actor Clint
57 Divorce capital
58 Kind of cloth
59 New Zealand parrot

DOWN

1 Actress Pitts
2 Excludable
3 Arab garment
4 Huckleberry Finn character
5 Language suffix
6 Snoozing
7 Cairo's river
8 Dirt
9 I think, therefore _____
10 Govt. agency
11 Crush
12 Negative answer
16 Possess
19 Goal
21 Colorado city
22 Thing in law
23 Soil deposit
24 Actor _____ Kristofferson
25 Scoffed
27 Somewhat (3 wds.)
28 Prod
29 State of feeling
32 Scale note
35 Full of (suff.)
36 Comparative suffix
38 Pact
40 Wide shoe size
42 By itself
44 I possess (cont.)
45 Rise in the air
46 Actress Lanchester
48 Actor Sparks
50 Eugene O'Neill's daughter
51 Yoko _____
53 Couple
54 Atomic particle
55 Vex

Answer to Previous Puzzle

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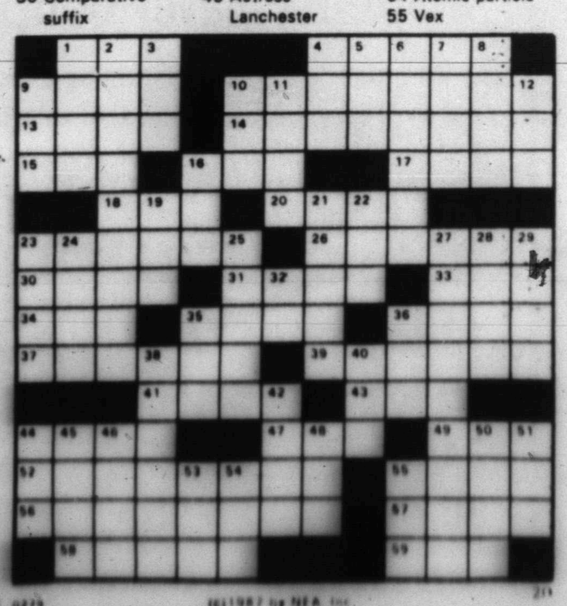

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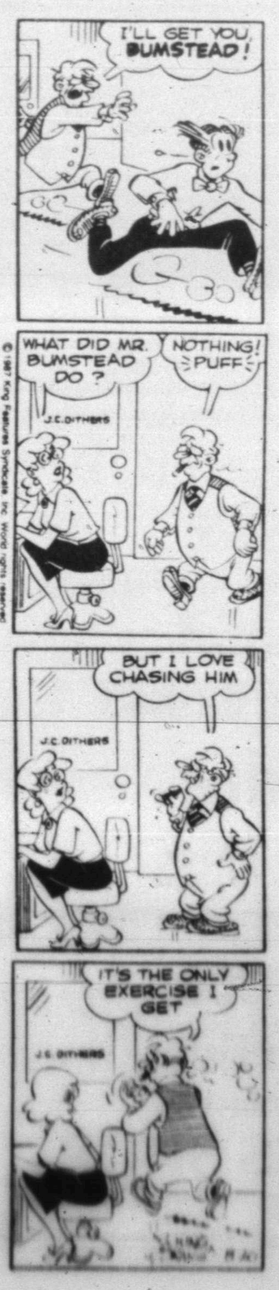

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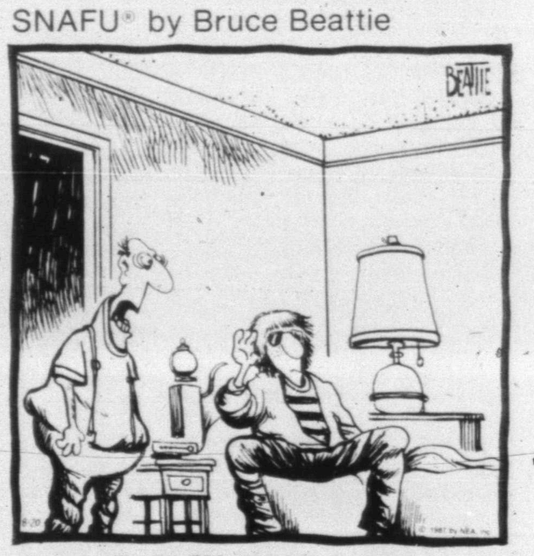

"I said: **Did you make it to the rock concert?!**"

DENNIS THE MENACE

SHS volleyball teams battle this weekend in Monahans

MONAHANS -- Fresh off of opening-season victories, Snyder varsity and junior varsity volleyball girls now enter tournament action here.

Snyder swept Brownfield with its varsity, JV and freshman teams on Tuesday. The freshmen are idle this weekend, but play in Abilene next Tuesday.

Varsity

Coach Vicki Nelms' crew begins tournament action against Big Spring at 9 a.m. Friday in the Monahans Multi-Purpose Complex.

The team will be playing again without senior Paula Caldwell, who is suffering from a sprained ankle.

In other first-round games Friday at the Complex, Crane meets Midland High at 8 a.m., Monahans plays Odessa High at 10 a.m. and Denver City faces San Angelo Lake View at 11 a.m.

In first-round action at Monahans High School Gym, Midland Lee meets Pecos at 8 a.m., Fort Stockton tests Kermit at 9 a.m., Seminole battles Plains at 10 a.m. and San Angelo Central tries Sweetwater at 11 a.m.

A first-round loss for Snyder would put the Lady Tigers back on the court at 1 p.m. A victory would have them playing at 4 p.m.

Also entered in the tournament, having received first-round byes, are El Paso Burges and Alpine.

Championship game in the tournament is scheduled for 8 p.m. Saturday.

Junior Varsity

Snyder junior varsity girls play Plains at 2 p.m. Friday in the Junior High School Gym.

Coach Patty Grimmett's squad will play again at 7 p.m. Friday should they lose the first-round game. If they win Friday's 2 p.m. encounter, they'll vie again at noon Saturday. Finals are set for 6 p.m.

All of Friday's JV matches will be held at the junior high. Saturday's action will take place at the high school.

In other first-round games, Fort Stockton challenges Odessa High at 8 a.m., Seminole meets Pecos at 9 a.m., Alpine plays Crane at 10 a.m., Midland High faces Kermit at 11 a.m., Monahans takes on Midland Lee at noon, Wink squares off with Big Spring at 1 p.m., and Odessa Permian contests Denver City at 3 p.m.

Sweetwater gets baseball program

SWEETWATER -- Included in a $9.8 million budget passed by the Sweetwater school board earlier this week was $44,000 to institute a high school baseball program.

A proposal to start a baseball program was turned down earlier this summer by a 4-2 vote of the trustees. Assistant Supt. for Finance David Welch said the Sweetwater ISD will receive more state aid than was first anticipated, however, and the administration has now decided a baseball program can be afforded.

The Mustangs plan to play a junior varsity schedule in the spring of 1988 and join regular District 2-4A competition the following year.

Baseball glance

By The Associated Press

AMERICAN LEAGUE

East Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Detroit	70	47	.598	—
Toronto	71	49	.592	½
New York	69	51	.575	2½
Milwaukee	63	57	.525	8½
Boston	57	63	.475	14½
Baltimore	55	65	.458	16½
Cleveland	46	74	.383	25½

West Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Minnesota	66	56	.541	—
Oakland	61	59	.508	4
Kansas City	60	60	.500	5
California	60	61	.496	5½
Texas	56	63	.471	8½
Seattle	56	64	.467	9
Chicago	49	70	.412	15½

Wednesday's Games

Oakland 7, Toronto 3
Milwaukee 13, Cleveland 2
Detroit 7, Minnesota 1
Chicago 8, Boston 3
Kansas City 11, Texas 6
Baltimore 2, California 1
New York 8, Seattle 0

NATIONAL LEAGUE

East Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
St. Louis	70	49	.588	—
Montreal	67	52	.563	3
New York	67	53	.558	3½
Philadelphia	62	57	.521	8
Chicago	61	59	.508	9½
Pittsburgh	53	67	.442	17½

West Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
San Francisco	63	58	.521	—
Cincinnati	62	59	.512	1
Houston	61	59	.508	1½
Los Angeles	53	66	.445	9
Atlanta	51	69	.425	11½
San Diego	49	71	.408	13½

Wednesday's Games

Chicago 9, Atlanta 1
Los Angeles 10, Montreal 9
Pittsburgh 10, Cincinnati 9
San Francisco 10, New York 6, 10 innings
Philadelphia 6, San Diego 5
Houston 2, St. Louis 1

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SPORTS

No major changes in T-Tech strategy

LUBBOCK, Texas (AP) - While he's got a few new tricks up his extra-large sleeve, Texas Tech coach Spike Dykes embraces an old and familiar football philosophy: "Don't fix it if it ain't broke."

Dykes inherited the first winning Tech team of the 1980s last December and he plans no sweeping changes or fancy formations this fall.

"We'll just continue to throw too much," he laughed. "There's no reason to change that. Everybody likes to see 'em pass."

The sky-minded Red Raiders achieved moderate success in compiling a 7-4 record last year but lopsided losses to Miami, Baylor and Texas A&M suggested the boys from the South Plains could be a little erratic.

"They beat us like a tied-up goat," said Dykes.

"The one thing we had to do was find some offensive balance and consistency in everything we do, especially offensively. We've spent a lot of time on the basics, and I believe it really is going to pay off for us."

Dykes has nine offensive starters and six defensive regulars returning from a team that ended seven consecutive losing seasons at Tech and earned a bowl bid for the first time since 1977.

When David McWilliams jumped ship to return to the University of Texas, Dykes, Tech's defensive coordinator, made his head coaching debut in a 20-17 Independence Bowl loss to Mississippi.

He since has assembled a coaching team with close to 200 years of experience and insists it is among the best in the nation. And he likes his legacy.

"You can tell we had a winning season last year by the morale," says Dykes. "Our kids feel as good about themselves as they have in a long, long time.

"They aren't hoping, they aren't wishing and they aren't projecting. They have won football games in which they were underdogs and they feel they can be competitive."

Dykes said the Raiders are not yet Southwest Conference contenders, but, with the proper team chemistry, they could emerge in November to battle for the crown.

"Team chemistry - it's something you have or you don't have," he said. "You can't put a price tag on how important leadership is."

Waiting impatiently to accept the leadership role is Billy Joe Tolliver, the Raiders' flashy but erratic junior quarterback.

"I've been around here three years and it's time to play like it and start acting like it," he says, adding that the Raiders have the personnel to win the host role in the Cotton Bowl.

"The big goal, of course, leads up to Dallas on Jan. 1 and that's what we're looking for," he said.

The Raiders must find a tight end, plug some big gaps in the defensive secondary and improve their kicking game, but, as Dykes says, the nucleus is there for an exceptional team.

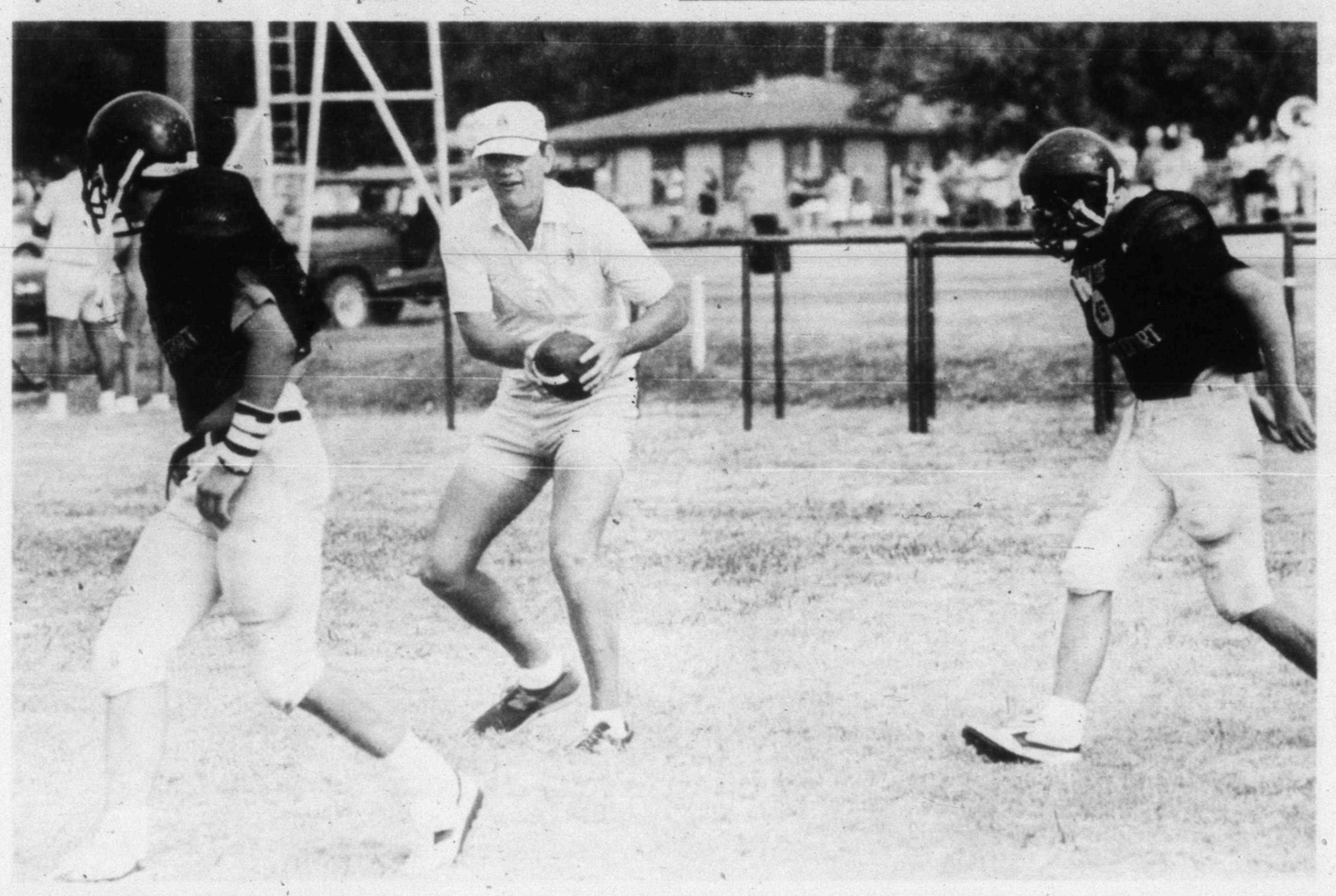
Tolliver has a proven backup in Aaron Keesee while three of the league's top six rushers - James Gray, Isaac Garnett and Ervin Farris - return for the Raiders.

A small but crack receiving corps of Wayne Walker, Tyrone Thurman and Eddy Anderson is back after combining to catch more than 2,000 yards of passes in two seasons. And Thurman, a tiny terror at 5-3 and 130 pounds, is one of the premier punt returners in the nation.

Offensive guards Jeff Keith and Mike McBride rank among the best in the SWC and linebacker Mike Johnson is being hailed as a candidate for All America.

Preseason favorites Arkansas and Texas A&M are on Tech's seven-game home schedule, which could be a factor if the Raiders find the consistency and intensity Dykes says they need to become contenders.

"We've got a chance," Dykes conceded.



REACTING TO THE BALL -- Coach Rod Cottrell works with linebacker candidates during two-a-days at the Tiger practice field. Friday, the players will get to show what they've learned as they scrimmage Vernon at 7 p.m. in Stamford. A junior varsity scrimmage is set for 6 p.m. (SDN Staff Photo)

American League roundup...

Tigers claw Twins, reach top

by The Associated Press

Detroit Manager Sparky Anderson still bristles when he's reminded that the Tigers were picked for fifth place this season.

"There still are people saying we're not going to win it, and I ain't going to argue with those people," Anderson said Wednesday night after the Tigers took over first place in the American League East with a 7-1 victory over the Minnesota Twins. "But we're not a fifth-place ballclub, not this year, not next year. Period."

Walt Terrell, 10-10, improved his lifetime record at Tiger Stadium to 28-7 with a complete-game six-hitter. The Tigers hammered Bert Blyleven, 12-10, for seven runs on nine hits in 4 1-3 innings.

In other games, it was Oakland 7, Toronto 3; Milwaukee 13, Cleveland 2 in a game that saw Paul Molitor extend his hitting streak to 34; Chicago 8, Boston 3; Kansas City 11, Texas 6; Baltimore 2, California 1; and New York 8, Seattle 0.

Athletics 7, Blue Jays 3

Oakland knocked Toronto out of first place in the East as Dave Stewart became the major leagues' first 17-game winner and Jose Canseco hit two home runs.

Stewart, 17-8, allowed seven hits, struck out 10 and walked one in his fifth complete game of the season and 10th in his last 11 decisions.

Canseco's homers, his 26th and 27th, both came off John Cerutti, 9-3, who had won his last eight decisions.

Royals 11, Rangers 6

Kansas City wiped out a 6-3 deficit with a six-run fifth inning against Texas.

The Royals sent 10 batters to the plate in the inning, knocking out Rangers right-hander Bobby Witt, 6-6.

Bob Stoddard, 1-1, earned the victory with 5 1-3 innings of three-hit relief. John Davis got the last four outs for his first major-league save.

Brewers 13, Indians 2

Molitor went hitless in his first two at-bats, then homered, doubled and singled twice for his first four-hit game of the season as Milwaukee routed Cleveland.

Molitor's three-run homer in the Brewers' eight-run fourth inning enabled him to match the seventh-longest hitting streak in the major leagues in this century. Rob Deer hit his first career grand slam in the same inning.

Juan Nieves, 10-6, scattered nine hits for his first complete game since he pitched a no-hitter against Baltimore on April 15.

Yankees 8, Mariners 0

Mike Pagliarulo got the game-winning RBI for the second consecutive night and Charles Hudson allowed five hits in the last eight innings for New York against Seattle.

Hudson, 8-3, replaced starter Tommy John after he pitched one hitless inning, then left the game with a stomach ailment.

Orioles 2, Angels 1

Baltimore held California to four hits for the second straight game and Jim Dwyer and Terry Kennedy homered for the Orioles.

Mike Boddicker, 9-6, held the Angels to three hits before being forced out by a pinched nerve in his neck.

White Sox 8, Red Sox 3

Ivan Calderon hit his 19th and 20th homers for Chicago and Steve Lyons knocked in two runs with a double and a single against Boston.

Winning pitcher Jose DeLeon broke a personal five-game losing streak and loser Bruce Hurst ended a string of five consecutive victories.

DeLeon, 6-11, pitched seven innings, giving up two runs on five hits, while Hurst, 14-7, gave up 10 hits and seven runs in 7 1-3 innings.

Giants leap ahead of Reds; Astros stay in NL West focus

by The Associated Press

San Francisco Manager Roger Craig had this dream that sooner or later his Giants would be in first place in the National League West.

The Giants beat the New York Mets 10-6 in 10 innings Wednesday night and now lead the division.

San Francisco moved one game ahead of Cincinnati, which lost 10-9 to Pittsburgh. The Giants had not held sole possession of first place since May 28.

Elsewhere, Houston beat St. Louis 2-1, Los Angeles got past Montreal 10-9, Philadelphia held off San Diego 6-5 and Chicago defeated Atlanta 9-1.

Chili Davis' sacrifice fly put San Francisco ahead 7-6 in the 10th, relief pitcher Scott Garrelts followed with an RBI double and Rob Thompson hit a two-run single.

Garrelts, 10-7, got the victory. Roger McDowell, 7-5, took the loss.

The Giants came back from a 5-1 deficit built on a three-run homer by Darryl Strawberry and Johnson's solo shot, the 30th for each of them this season.

Astros 2, Cardinals 1

Ken Caminiti hit a two-run double and Bob Knepper teamed with Larry Andersen on a four-hitter as Houston beat St. Louis for its sixth straight victory.

Knepper, 6-13, gave up three hits in seven innings. Andersen finished for his fourth save.

The host Astros got only four hits in sending the Cardinals to their fourth straight loss. Joe Magrane, 6-5, took a one-hitter into the seventh.

Pirates 10, Reds 9

Barry Bonds and Andy Van Slyke homered and Bobby Bonilla drove in three runs as Pittsburgh won at Cincinnati. The Pirates are 5-0 at Riverfront Stadium this season.

Rafael Belliard and Al Pedrique hit RBI doubles during a five-run eighth inning that made it 10-3.

Doug Drabek, 5-10, gave up two earned runs on five hits in six innings. Tom Browning, 5-10, lost his fourth straight decision.

Dodgers 10, Expos 9

Craig Shipley's two-run single keyed a five-run rally in the eighth inning and Los Angeles ended Montreal's five-game winning streak.

Alejandro Pena, 2-6, got the victory and Tim Crews worked two innings for his third save.

Phillies 6, Padres 5

Mike Schmidt hit a three-run homer and tied Eddie Mathews for all-time home runs by a third baseman at 482, leading Philadelphia over visiting San Diego.

Bruce Ruffin, 10-9, got the victory. Jeff Calhoun worked the final inning for his first save.

Cubs 9, Braves 1

Scott Sanderson pitched 7 2-3 strong innings and Luis Quinones' single broke a 1-1 tie in the seventh inning as Chicago won at Atlanta.

Sanderson, 7-6, gave up an unearned run, struck out seven and walked two.

Quinones hit an RBI single and scored on Jody Davis' double for a 3-1 lead. The Cubs scored six times in the ninth, capped by Rafael Palmeiro's three-run homer. Charlie Puleo, 5-6, took the loss.

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020 ANNOUNCEMENTS

BACK TO SCHOOL SPECIAL: $25.00 Perms for $20.00. Open Wednesday, Thursday, Friday. 8 a.m.-6 p.m. 573-9888.

Student Council invites the public to an Ice Cream Supper. Thursday, 8 p.m. Towle Park Pavilion. Everyone is asked to bring Freezer of Ice Cream.

VICKIE WARNER. Merle Norman Studio. School Special: Basic Perm, $30.00. Hair Cut, $8.00-$10.00 573-6512 or 573-4183.

070 LOST & FOUND

LOST: White Rabbit wearing pink collar. Answers to the name of "Sugar". Reward offered. Lost in the vicinity of East 23rd Street. Call 573-9418.

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080 PERSONAL

ADOPTION: Happily married Couple wishes to welcome into our family a white newborn. We have much love to share & would provide a secure and caring home. Expenses paid. Legal. Confidential. Call Diane or Peter collect 617-522-3245.

HERBALIFE INDEPENDENT DISTRIBUTOR. Call me for products. Winnie Poyner, 573-3131.

LIFT A FINGER. Report child abuse. 1-800-252-5400 toll free statewide child abuse hotline.

090 VEHICLES

BILL'S AUTO SALVAGE is now open. Late model used parts. Chevy, Ford, Chrysler, Toyota, Datsun. East Hwy. 180 at The Traffic Circle. 573-9569.

1979 DATSUN 280ZX, $2195. Call Elliott at 573-6351.

1984 FORD GOOD Times Van. No equity, assume payments. Call 573-5516.

FOR SALE: 1982 Ford Fairmont, excellent condition. Call 573-2911.

FOR SALE: 1982 Ford Granada, good school car. Call 573-2911.

1978 FORD THUNDERBIRD, reasonable priced. 1502 Ave T. 573-5941.

1979 FORD GRANADA, 4-door, Clean. $1475. Call Elliott at 573-6351.

1969 FORD F-100 Pickup, $650. Call Elliott at 573-6351.

GREAT BUY OR LEASE: for Adults or Students. 1986 Nissan King Cab 4x4. See at 4305 Lubbock Ave. or call 573-9069.

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Service & Parts
573-6269
Heating & Air Conditioning
Free Estimates.
Best Prices, 25 Years Experience

Payne
BUCHANAN HEATING & AC
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Snyder, Texas
We handle Payne units and service all makes and models. Call us for your heating and cooling needs at
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COMPUTIME
Bookkeeping and Tax Service
Sue Smith
2501 32nd
573-0346 573-6731

SNYDER APPLIANCE SERVICE
Serving Snyder Area for 35 Years. Satisfaction guaranteed. Repairs on all Makes & Models.
CAP HERNANDEZ, OWNER
2415 College 573-4138

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NEAL MACHINE & WELDING SHOP
2311 Avenue G
573-3283
Ralph Neal

M & S
Drilling Co. Inc.
Water Well Drilling
Pump Sales
& Service
Call Ray Sorrells
573-8951

WATERWELL SERVICES
Windmills & Domestic Pumps
Move, Repair, Replace
Tommy Marricle 573-2493
Bennie Marricle 573-8710
Before 8 a.m. & after 6 p.m.

RENT "N" OWN
Furniture, Tv's Stereos and Appliances
2514 Avenue R
573-4844

The Cheep Sweep
Chimney Sweeps Company
Professional Chimney Services
573-3963

SMITH'S MUSIC PLACE
Complete Music Store
Instrument Repair & Piano Tuning
2509 College Ave
573-5937

TOM WADLEIGH ABOUT DOOR COMPANY
573-2442
Garage Doors of All Kinds

ELECTROLUX
Sales & Service
Supplies
Don Adams
2300 College
573-0016
or 573-3747 after 6

110 MOTORCYCLES

FOR SALE: '82 Yamaha 1100 Maximum. Call 573-9647 after 5:00.

FOR SALE: 1982 Kawasaki 550 L.T.D. Mag Wheels, extra clean, 12K miles. $750. 573-3648 or 573-8058.

1978 HONDA CR250 Dirt Bike. 573-5920.

1979 KAWASAKI 650, new battery, $600 or best offer. 573-8803.

150 BUSINESS SERVICES

BURT'S WELDING: Barns, Carports, Patios, Fencing, etc. By Bid or Hourly. Free Estimates. Low Rates. 573-1562.

BILL GREEN ELECTRIC: Prompt Service on Trouble Calls. Call 573-2589, day or night.

CERAMIC TILE Contractors: Bath, Patio and Replace Leaking Shower Stalls. New and Repair. Ed Burleson, 573-7969 or 573-7960.

SHREDDING: Lots or Acreage. Call 573-7437.

For all Your ELECTRICAL WIRING needs, call Ed Blocker, 573-7578.

FOR SALE: Top Soil and Caliche, delivered. Call Eddie Don Floyd at 573-8333 or nights, 573-5235.

KRUGER ROOFING SERVICE: Shingles or Hot Topping. Call 573-3166, day or night.

MID TEX DRILLING. Water Wells. Specialty Drilling. 915-683-5113, Midland, Texas.

NEW HOME Sewing Machines. Electrolux Cleaners. Quality Service all machines. Stevens. Charlenes Draperies, 573-6601 or 1-235-2889.

ROBBINS CONSTRUCTION: Metal Buildings; Barns; Carports; Porches; Composition, Metal Roofs; Metal, Wood, Wire Fencing. 573-8083.

SHINGLES & HOT TOPPING. J's Roofing. 573-6983.

SHREDDING: Lots & Fields mowed. Ask for Jerry, 573-6381 or 573-0972.

HOME REPAIRS, REMODELING, ROOFING, PAINTING, ETC. 573-8505 or 573-4921

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152 STUDENT WORK ADS

BABYSITTING anytime between August 21st-August 31st. Except Sundays. Call 573-0020.

HIGH SCHOOL SENIOR wants to do your yard. Please call 573-7629, after 5:00 p.m. on weekdays.

2 RELIABLE Boys: Mow, Edge, Sweep. Also, large lots. Reasonable price. Please call 573-1550 or 573-1439.

WILL DO Lawn and Odd Jobs. 573-8481.

15 & 16 YEAR OLD GIRLS will babysit in your home. Also do Housework. References. Call 573-8057.

160 EMPLOYMENT

WANTED: LVN. Top Pay, Fringe Benefits. Apply in person at Kristi Lee Manor Nursing Home, 1941 Chestnut, Colorado City, TX.

HERBALIFE INDEPENDENT DISTRIBUTOR. Call me for business opportunity. Winnie Poyner, 573-3131.

DISPATCHER: Some experience affording familiarity with Radio Transmitting and Telotype Equipment. Name & location of streets & principal buildings in the City, be able to speak clearly & precisely, perform routine clerical duties, establish & maintain effective working relationships with other employees & public. Apply at TEC, 2501B College Ave. Employer Paid Ad. EOE.

DO YOU Need A Job? Part or Full Time available. Free training in Skin Care, Make-Up, Color and Sales Techniques. $30 in free products. Call Avon at 263-3107, collect.

EXTRA INCOME: Part-time. No selling. Customer relations. Experience in recruiting, motivation helpful. Complete training. Key management positions available. 235-1577. Write: Box 894, Sweetwater, TX 79556.

EXPERIENCED MECHANICAL Draftsman wanted for part-time position with Construction Company in Loraine. Call 915-737-2216 for details and interview.

OFFICE NURSE, Part-time. Experience required including simple lab procedures. Bookkeeping experience or willingness to learn simple bookkeeping and insurance work also required. Phone 573-1994.

EARN EXCELLENT Income Stuffing Envelopes at Home. Send S.A.S.E. and $1.00 to: The Kinsington Company, 11216 Erich, Balch Springs, Texas 75180.

WANTED: Part-time Youth Director with previous experience and references. Must be willing to work weekends. Send Resume to: First United Methodist Church, 2700 College, Snyder, TX.

WESTERN TEXAS COLLEGE
AA/EOE
DEPARTMENT: Student Services, POSITION: Residence Hall Desk Clerk, Part-time. SALARY: Basic Minimum Wage, DUTIES: Assist Residence Hall Supervisor with management of co-educational dormitory. Ability to relate to college students essential, willingness to work late hours. Secretarial skills helpful. EMPLOYMENT TO BEGIN: 8/25/87. Applications must be in by 8/21/87. Address all applications and inquiries to: Vickie Harrision, Resident Hall Supervisor, Western Texas College. 915/573-8511, extensions 326 and 268.

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180 INSTRUCTIONS

SWIMMING LESSONS: Shana Hart. 573-7532 or 573-3768.

210 WOMAN'S COLUMN

ANTIQUE OR NEW - Bring in or Call us for the Repair and Refinishing of your Clocks, Lamps & Furniture, Also Old Phonograph Record Players.
HOUSE OF ANTIEKS
4008 College
573-4422

BABYSITTING WANTED. Days, Evenings. In Hermleigh. Any age. 863-2761.

HOUSE CLEANING SERVICE. Houses or Businesses. By the Hour or by the Job. References available. Call mornings or evenings, 573-3870.

PROFESSIONAL ALTERATIONS: Men & Women. Blanches Bernina, 2503 College, 573-0303.

PRETTY PUNCH for sale. Free Lessons. Easy Needlecraft. Nice Hobby. 573-9852 anytime or 573-9565 after 5:00.

RETA'S CAKE SHOP and TEXAS BAR-B-Q. Cakes for Weddings, Birthdays, etc. Carry out Bar-B-Q and CATERING. 208 East Hwy. 573-1546.

REGISTERED HOME for infants. Age 0-18 months. Call 573-2533.

220 FARMER'S COLUMN

APPLES FOR SALE. Excellent canning and eating varieties. You pick. $7.50 bushel. 573-7385 or 573-0911.

AQHA 9 Year Old Palamino Stud, excellent disposition. 573-8803.

CUSTOM PLOWING CHISEL: Tandem or Big Ox. $5.00 per acre. Call 573-6670.

COASTAL HAY for sale. $3.00 per bale, in the barn. Woody Crabtree, 728-5550.

CUSTOM HAY BALING: Large Round & Square Bales. Call Windell Barrett, 573-6438.

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FOR SALE: Okra, Tomatoes, Acorn and Butternut Squash. 573-8886 after 4 p.m.

FRESH PRODUCE: Okra (pickled daily); 50¢ pound. Go by 1208 19th. 573-0583.

HAY BALING. Round or Square Bales. Jesse Tolbert, 573-2026.

14 HP INTERNATIONAL Cub Cadet Lawn Tractor, hydrostatic, 48" cut. $1850. 573-9853.

HAY FOR SALE. 5x5 Round Bales, $15. Call 863-2276.

NUBIAN MILK GOAT for sale. Call 573-0660.

WAYNE EUBANK has Watermelons for sale. Red, Yellow & Orange. 1801 Cedar Creek Dr. 573-6509. 2 or more delivered.

2 WHEEL PONY Cart with Harness for sale. Call 573-2163.

CUSTOM HAY Baling, Round or Square. Call 863-2276.

On The Farm Tire Service
Goodyear Tires available at:
McWhorter's
1701 25th Street
Snyder, Texas 79549
Auto - Truck - Farm
573-4031

240 SPORTING GOODS

CANYON GUN CLUB: Gun, Knife and Coin Show. Scurry County Coliseum. August 22nd & 23rd.

GIVE MELTON'S SPORTING GOODS a chance. ½ Block West of KSNY on 19th Street.

SKEET GUN for sale, 12 guage F.I.E., over and under, 28 inch ribbed barrell, excellent condition, $300. See at 2703 Avenue W or call 573-6973.

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250 RECREATIONAL VEHICLES

CHEVROLET VAN Tray Tech Conversion. All leather interior, complete stereo, front stereo, front & rear air & heat. 573-4060.

251 BOATS

CLOSE-OUT ON ALL NEW BOATS & MOTORS: 20-40% off list price. Quality, 5.9 financing. Johnson & Mercury. IO's and Outboards. Glastrons, Galaxies, Deckboats and Lowe Aluminums. Tom's Marine, 573-6562.

260 MERCHANDISE

CONVALESCENT NEEDS
Wheel chairs. Walkers. Canes. Home blood pressure kits, Etc. Sales & Rentals.
Burgess McWilliams Pharmacy
3706 College 573-7582

BUILDING MATERIALS for sale. 2x10x20, $8.50. 50 ft. Door Units. Kitchen Cabinets. Counter Tops. ¼x4, 7¢ ft. Cedar, 45¢. Frank Reyes, 235-2490, Sweetwater.

COME SEE 5 rooms of used carpet, good condition, brown and gold. $175 or best offer. 573-5872, 4504 El Paso.

FOR SALE: 2-10 Gallon Fish Aquariums & 1 Stand; Twin Bed Headboard & Footboard; Stereo. 573-1232.

MOVING: Across the Street or across Town. 1 Item or a Houseful. Call Pioneer Furniture, 573-9834.

QUASAR T.V.'s, all on sale. Free 5 Year Warranty. Instant Financing with approved credit. Low monthly payments. Also "RENT TO OWN" T.V.'s, VCR's, Satellites & Microwave Ovens. STRICKLAND T.V. SERVICE, 2413 College Ave.

USED COLOR TV's. Portables start at $150. Consoles start at $175. Snyder Electronics, 411 E. Hwy., 573-6421.

WANT TO BUY: Good Used Washing Machine. Call 573-0793 or leave message.

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290 DOGS, PETS, ETC.

ALL BREEDS GROOMING: Scurry County Veterinary Clinic. 573-1717.

ENGLISH POINTER Birddogs with Elhew and Gunsmoke breeding. Can be seen at 2102 43rd St. or call 573-3967.

FOR SALE: ½ Blue Heeler, ½ Catahoula Leopard Cow Dog Puppies. Call 573-3298.

FOR SALE: AKC Registered Long Hair Dachshund, $100. Some red, some black Doberman Puppies, $25. Also, Mother & Daddy Dog. 211 35th. 573-2293.

FREE PUPPIES. Good family watch dogs. Call 573-5170 after 6:00.

PARROTS, COCKATIELS, Bulk Bird Seed, Toys, Cages and Supplies. Scurry CB Sales, 304 E. Hwy. 573-0664.

PRETTY LITTLE Toy Poodles. Apricots & Creams. AKC Registered. Call 1-235-2090.

TO GIVE AWAY: ½ Collie. 6 months old. 573-4376.

310 GARAGE SALES

BACKYARD SALE
2311 26th
Thurs., Fri., Sat.
T.V., typewriter, air guns, lawn mower, humidifier, too much to list.

BACKYARD SALE
2211 41st
Fri. 8-1; Sat. 8-1
Piano, hide-a-bed sofa, utility trailer, shelf units, grills, linens, toys, coats, decorative items.

GARAGE SALE
3 miles West on Lamesa Hwy. Watch for signs.
Thurs. & Fri. 8-dark
2 baby beds, walkers, car seats, high chairs, full size hide-a-bed couch, lots of good school clothes all sizes, misc. CHEAP!

2 FAMILY YARD SALE
Fri. & Sat. 9-5
Hermleigh, follow signs
Lots of baby clothes, furniture, what nots, much much more.

FRONT YARD SALE
122 E. Hwy.
Fri. & Sat.
Antique buffet, ceramics, furniture, tires, tools, dishes & clothes for everyone.

3 FAMILY GARAGE SALE
306 28th St.
Fri. 7-6
Childrens & adults clothes, baby bed, 4'x18' swimming pool, hair bows - all sizes, misc. items.

GARAGE SALE
Thursday, 20th, 1:00-5:00
Saturday, 22nd, 9:00-5:00
What Not Storage, No. 10E
36th Place
Baby furniture, all size clothes.

GARAGE SALE, BAKE SALE, CAR WASH
Saturday, August 22
9:00-5:00
Hermleigh High School

GARAGE SALE
4300 Ave U
Fri. & Sat. 8-1
Couch, recliner, small appliances, baby items, jeans, good school clothes.

GARAGE SALE
1502 Ave T
Fri. & Sat.
Baby items, dishes & lots more.

GARAGE SALE
3814 Ave V
Friday, all day
Clothes, dishes, toys, furniture. Everything must go!

GARAGE SALE
119 Browning
Thurs., Fri.—
Everything priced low.

GARAGE SALE
Northside of East Elementary
Friday & Saturday
Minolta camera accessories, colt 22 magnum pistol, 1981 Pontiac, winchester shotgun, cabinet hinges, Shasta Camper, racketball equipment, cooking utensils, softener salt, snapper lawn mower, El Dorado Cabover Camper (fully self-contained) 12'x60' mobile home (to be moved), exercise bicycle, misc. items, furniture. 573-8879.

MOVING SALE
1204 21st.
Fri. 8-3
Baby furniture & clothes, 3 dressers, boys clothes 10 & 12, what nots, paintings, plants, lots more.

MOVING SALE
318 31st
Friday
Antique chest, chord organ, china closet, piano, 12' aluminum V-bottom boat, storm doors, pickup bed trailer with 6' frames.

MOONLIGHT MADNESS GARAGE SALE
Thursday eve., 6-9
2804 34th
Everything priced to sell! Rocker, drop leaf table, science fiction books, dishes, clothes, baby items.

YARD SALE
907 30th
Friday Only, 8-?
Lots of back to school items including jackets & coats. You won't want to miss this one.

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320 FOR RENT-LEASE

CHOICE MOBILE Home Lots for sale. Finance like rent. Double lots with hookups, $105/mo. 1 Lot with hookups, $66.10/mo. Lots without hookups, $40 & up. 573-8963.

FIRST MONTH FREE!! Key Mobile Home Park. Water furnished. 573-2149.

FOR RENT: Trailer Space on private lot. Corner 21st & Ave K. Call after 5:30, 573-2304.

LEASE BUILDING: 3 Offices, 900 SF Shop, fenced yard. 1912 College. 573-6381 or 573-0972.

MOBILE HOME SPACE on One-Quarter Block. 2 miles East. Fenced backyard. Water furnished. 1st month free. 573-0548.

ROYAL MOBILE HOME PARK, Hwy. 84 Bypass, 573-1711. Country living at its best. FREE MOVE within 50 mile radius. Rent will be ½ 1st 6 months on a 1 year lease. (Move not to exceed $600).
*Convenience Store w/Gas
*Laundromat
*Playground
*Complete R.V. hook-ups w/Shower
*Bar-b-que Grill with Picnic Table
*T.V. cable available
*Water furnished
FREE MOVE

325 APARTMENTS FOR RENT

Kingswood & Eastridge Apartments
One & Two Bedroom
From $151
Furnished & Unfurnished
MOVE IN NOW!!!!
No Security Deposit ... (With references)
$30 Off
Your Monthly Rent
For a limited time only!
Designer decorated, energy efficient with modern appliances, central heat and air. Laundry, large play area. Conveniently located near schools, churches, shopping. Resident Mgr.
Family Living At Its Best, In A Quiet Neighborhood
100 37th St.
573-5261 573-5701
Equal Housing Opportunity.

2 BEDROOM FURNISHED Apartment. Bills partially paid. $150 month. No pets. 573-2871.

1 BEDROOM FURNISHED Apartment. 2 bedroom unfurnished. All bills paid. 573-6150 or 573-3553.

PHOENIX PLACE
East Side
& COLONIAL GARDENS
West Side
1. Nice Brick 1 bdrm Apt. $140/mo. You pay electric. Furn. or Unfurn.
2. Large 2 bdrm Apt. Carpeted & Drapes.
3. All bills paid + SCAT.
4. Quiet neighborhood, neat yards, children welcome.
5. $225. Upstairs furn.
6. $250. Ground Floor furn.
Call 573-4468 or come by Office at 1918 Coleman

*Starts at $225
*Furn. or Unfur.
*Maid Service Available
*1 or 2 Bdrms
*1 or 1½ Baths
*All Electric
*Heat Pumps-lower util.
*Central Heat & Ref. Air.
*All G.E. Appliances
*Garbage Disposals
*No Frost Refrigerator
*Dishwashers
*Laundry Facilities
*Located near Child Care Facility & Good School
700 E. 37th
573-3519 573-3510
TOWN HOUSE APARTMENTS

WESTERN CREST APARTMENTS
3901 Avenue O
573-1488 or 573-7681
2 bdrm, 1 or 2 bath
Dishwasher
Stove w/Self-Cleaning Oven
Ref. w/Auto Ice-Maker & Frostfree Freezer
Washer/Dryer Connections
Continuous Circulating Hot Water
Pool
Playground
Club House
Tanning Salon
Check Us Out!!

SUNRISE DUPLEXES
400 Block 36th Place
*2 Bedroom
*1 Bath
*1 Car Garage
*Central Heat/Ref. Air
*Utility Area
*Private Fenced Backyard with Patio
Manager Apt. 407
573-4329

WINDRIDGE VILLAGE APTS.
*1 & 2 bdrm. available
*Convenient location between Cogdell Hospital & WTC.
*Spacious 1 Story Apts.
*Laundry Facilities.
*Walk-in Closets.
*Major Appliances w/Frost-free Refrigerators.
*Individual Air & Heat.
*Waterbeds Accepted.
*Children & Small Pets accepted.
573-0879

1 BEDROOM FURNISHED apartment. Deposit required. No utilities paid. No pets, no children. 573-9047.

BLACK RAVEN APARTMENTS
4 PLEX
2 Weeks Free Rent*
All Bills Paid*
Free Cable
$225 month
CONTACT
Weekdays 573-6501
Stoney/Winona
After Hours
573-8848 573-7388

Win A FREE 1-Year Subscription to The Snyder Daily News

Persons Subscribing or Renewing Subscriptions for 6-Months or more during August will have a chance for a FREE 1-Year Subscription.
Drawing to be held August 31, 1987.
Clip Coupon & Bring to The Snyder Daily News, 3600 College Avenue or mail to: P.O. Box 949, today!!

Name_____
Address_____
City_____
State_____ Zip_____

A similar drawing will be held each month.

By Carrier or Mail in County
1 Year: $53.17
6 Mos.: $27.34
(Tax included)

By Mail Out of County
1 Year: $67.00
6 Mos. $37.24
(Tax included)

BLACK RAVEN APTS. 4 Plex. 2 weeks free rent. All bills paid. Free Cable. $225/mo. Weekdays, 573-6501. Stoney/-Winona. After hours, 573-8848 or 573-7388.

NEW MANAGEMENT: Clean, furnished Apartments. All bills paid + SCAT. Children welcome. 1 bedroom, $160/mo. 2 bedroom, $225/mo. Weekly rates. SUNSHINE VILLAGE APARTMENTS, 573-1526.

330 HOUSES FOR RENT

3 BEDROOM UNFURNISHED. Fenced yard, garage. 211 Hickory. $325 month. $75 deposit. 573-8136.

2 BEDROOM UNFURNISHED House with Den. $185 plus deposit. 573-8713 after 6:00 & weekends.

3 BEDROOM, 1 Bath, fenced backyard. 37th Street, close to High School. $350, no bills. 573-8372 after 5 p.m.

2 BEDROOM HOUSE for rent. Call 573-2490.

4 BEDROOM, 2 Bath House. Living & Den. CH/A. Stanfield School District. Call 573-1766 or 573-6362 during work hours or 573-3184 after 5:00.

2 BEDROOM HOUSE for rent. Stanfield School District. 3749 Rose Circle. $250 + deposit. Call 573-0795 or 806-763-3741.

FOR RENT: Large 3 bedroom unfurnished House. $300 month. 573-8963.

FOR RENT: 3 bedroom, 2 bath, Brick Veneer House. Ref. Air. Close to schools. 4105 Avondale. Call 573-7266.

DUPREE RENTALS
1212 25th 573-9001
2307 AVE I- 3 bedroom, unfurnished Mobile Home. $200/mo.
3706 MURIEL- 2 bedroom, 1 bath, unfurnished House. $200/mo. Big yard.
2208 AVE O- Nice 2 bedroom, 2 bath, Mobile Home. $200/mo.
NICE MOBILE HOMES starting at $150 month. Furnished or unfurnished. Cable paid. Call for address.

SECURITY FINANCE
Back to School Loans Up to $300.00
Ask for Mary or Linda
SECURITY FINANCE CORP.
2604 Ave R 573-1761

the Classifieds

JUST REMODELED: 608 33rd St., 2 bedroom, $225 + dep. 1000 28th St., 2 bedroom, $250 + dep. 573-1550.

335 MOBILE HOMES FOR RENT

FURNISHED 2 Bedroom. Refrigerated air, nice, clean. $250 per month plus deposit. 217 25th. 573-5761.

FOR RENT: 2 Bedroom Mobile Home. $170 month. 573-0682, ask for Kay.

NICE 2 Bedroom, 1½ bath, partially furnished. Fenced yard. 1909 Peyton. $250 month plus deposit. 573-2251.

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340 MOBILE HOMES FOR SALE

ABANDONED HOMES: take over payments. 100 available. Call collect, 806-763-4051.

1983, 14x80, 3 Bedroom, 2 bath on nice corner lot for sale or rent. Owner financed, 13%, $2,000 down, payments like rent. 573-2251.

CREDIT PROBLEMS in the past? Establish good credit with home ownership. Pay like rent and this home can be yours. For details on this new and exciting way to buy, call 915-694-6666.

FOR SALE: 14x56 Remington. 2 years old. 2 bedroom, 1 bath. $8000. Must Sell. 573-9569.

LEASE OR Take-Up Payments on a 1984, 14x64, 2 bedroom, 1 bath with central air & heat. All kitchen appliances, washer, dryer, porches, underpinning included. Set-up and ready to move into. 573-5375.

ONLY $5990 Cash Price. 1982 Woodlake, 2 bedroom, 1 bath. Call 915-694-6666.

PRICES SLASHED up to $5,000 on new Homes. Must sell before 1988 models arrive. Hurry!! Won't last long. 915-694-6666.

RENT OR LEASE PURCHASE/BY OWNER. 1986 3 bedroom, 2 bath, 16x80 Mobile Home. Low payments with no deposit. No one will be refused regardless of credit. Please call Douglas, collect, at 915-333-3335, Mon.-Sun. 10 a.m.-5 p.m.

78 SANDPOINT 14x70, 2 bedroom, 2 bath. $6500 cash; assumable loan. 573-8803.

16x70, 1982 TIFFANY. No down, Assumable loan. Low payments. Lots of extras. Call after 6:00, 573-3405.

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360 REAL ESTATE

FOR SALE: 3 bedroom, brick, 2 baths, den, livingroom, double car garage. 1734 sq. ft. 209 37th. Call 573-0921.

BUYING? OR SELLING?
*HOUSES FOR RENT.
*1, 2 & 3 Bdrm Houses for sale.
*ARE YOU LOOKING FOR COMMERCIAL PROPERTY? See our Lots.
*WE HAVE Rental Property for Sale.
*FARMERS, RANCHERS, We have just the places for you! Come and see for yourself.
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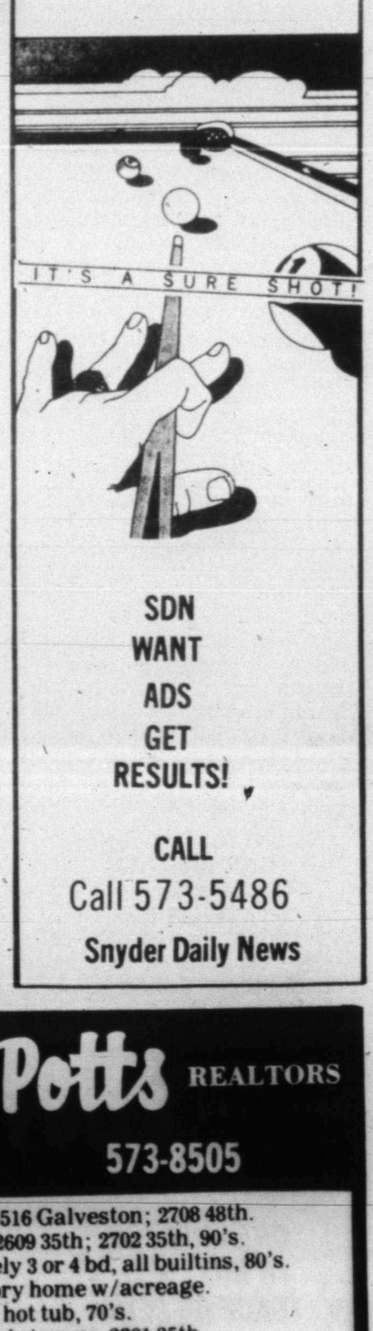

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Pilot error may have caused crash

WASHINGTON (AP) — Indications that the crew of Northwest Airlines Flight 255 ignored a basic but crucial takeoff procedure have intensified concern about an industry already shaken by mystifying pilot mistakes on other recent flights.

Federal investigators revealed Wednesday that the pilots of the Northwest jetliner that crashed Sunday near Detroit may not have lowered the jet's flaps to takeoff position, a critical maneuver required to give the plane proper lift.

The setting of the flaps prior to takeoff is fundamental to flying and considered by pilots as one of three "killer items" for which the consequences can easily be catastrophic.

"If they did it, it's a monumental thing," said Jim McIntyre, a veteran TWA pilot and chairman of the professional standards committee of the Air Line Pilots Association.

McIntyre and other pilots interviewed expressed disbelief that such an oversight could have occurred. "If it did happen it has to have been some distraction or other manifestation or a combination of factors," the pilot said.

Allan McArtor, the new head of the Federal Aviation Administration, said Wednesday night that if the early indications hold true they will reinforce his call for a thorough review of pilot training and on-board procedures.

"I think we've seen evidence over the summer weeks times when you would question whether (a plane's) crew was as vigilant as it might have been," McArtor said in an interview.

The airlines and the professional pilot community have been trying to explain a series of similar seemingly inexplicable human errors in jetliner cockpits through much of the summer, including two in which disaster was only narrowly averted.

In early July a Delta Air Lines crew apparently put the wrong coordinates into a navigational computer prior to a flight across the Atlantic, strayed 60 miles off course and came within 100 feet of colliding with another jetliner. A week earlier another Delta pilot mistakenly flipped the wrong switches and turned off both engines during a flight off the California coast and came within 600 feet of ditching his plane in the Pacific.

There also have been pilots who landed on the wrong runway in Boston, on a closed runway in Denver, at the wrong airport in Kentucky and almost with a plane's landing gear still up in London.

McArtor, in remarks Wednesday at a meeting of the Air Line Pilots Association, reiterated his plans for a "top to bottom review" of pilot training in the coming months. He told the pilots: "We must return to the basics ... in a word, our professionalism."

McIntyre contends that often what seems to be a human error also involves a "system breakdown" or design problem.

Of the Delta captain who flipped the wrong switches and shut off his engines, McIntyre said: "This was a design deficiency in that airplane that put critical switches that could cause a catastrophic consequence right next to the switches that would correct the problem."

The FAA since has ordered safety guards over the switches, but McIntyre said the pilots had sought such guards for years.

Lax procedures caused accident

AUSTIN (AP) — A 582-page report concludes that tanks and observers weren't in the proper position for firing exercises the night a National Guardsman was killed at Fort Hood.

"Apparently, the layout had been disregarded or lost and therefore they winged it," Maj. Ed Komandosky, chief spokesman for the Texas National Guard, said Wednesday.

Sgt. James Smetzer of San Angelo was killed June 24 and six other crewmen were wounded by shrapnel when the searchlight on their M-60 tank was hit by fire from another tank.

A witness' statement in the report said Smetzer was lying on the deck of one tank and possibly trying to take a nap when the shell struck.

"Jim was so tired he laid down," Staff Sgt. Don Hill, commander of the searchlight tank, told the board. "I was going forward to get him. As I reached down to get him up the shell hit. I don't know what happened then. I woke up on the ground."

What happened, the report said, was that one tank swung too far to its left and mistakenly fired a shell at a companion tank that was illuminating the firing range.

Among its findings, a review board of National Guard officers and enlisted men reported:

— The night range officer in charge had never had such an assignment and discarded an approved "range safety overlay" that should have been used to position the tanks participating in the offensive attack maneuver.

— The firing tank was 300 yards from its approved position when it fired.

Conservatives hit Reagan on current peace efforts

SANTA BARBARA, Calif. (AP) — When President Reagan ventures from idealism to political pragmatism, he gets into trouble with his conservative followers.

Nowhere is this more apparent than in the furor surrounding Reagan's decision to consider a diplomatic, rather than military, solution to the leftist dictatorship in Nicaragua.

While Reagan and his top associates have said repeatedly the president's embrace of new peace initiatives should not be interpreted as abandonment of the Contra rebels, conservatives remain suspicious.

AP analysis

Reagan has used his fair share of rhetoric on the Sandinista government headed by President Daniel Ortega, saying at one point that his goal was to make the Sandinistas "say uncle."

But in the aftermath of the Iran-Contra arms-and-money affair, Reagan's aides apparently were ready with some pretty pragmatic advice: Show a willingness to negotiate a settlement to the conflict, or there will be no chance that Congress will approve any new military assistance to the Contras in the budget year starting Oct. 1.

Now, conservatives are protesting that Reagan is reneging on his commitment to the men the president once likened to our "founding fathers," the "freedom-fighters" whose cause he has articulated so often.

This crescendo of criticism may have led to recent statements by the administration emphasizing that the administration would not turn its back on the Contra fighting force — the "insurance policy" against the export of subversion in the Western Hemisphere.

Presidential spokesman Marlin Fitzwater admitted as much when he told reporters last Friday: "You have to recognize that in this process, there are a number of very heavy pressures being brought to bear on everyone involved by constituent groups for a number of different positions."

In fact, one White House official who accompanied Reagan west for the president's vacation groused privately that conservatives want the president to merely carry their rhetorical water, no matter whether that costs him heavily in the things he's able to achieve before leaving office in early 1989.

Rep. Jack Kemp, R-N.Y., a 1988 presidential contender, seized the opportunity last week after Reagan's speech on the Iran-Contra affair to say he was "gravely disappointed" the president "did not forcefully restate his principle of continued military aid to the freedom fighters if democracy and freedom are to be achieved in Nicaragua."

Kemp and other conservatives this week launched a campaign to pressure Congress to approve $310 million in military aid for the Contras and said Reagan's peace initiative is doomed.

Signers of a letter to the president insisting there be no interruption in military aid to the Contras included conservative activist Richard Viguerie, who has accused Reagan of surrendering "the last of his presidency to the liberal establishment."

EDITOR'S NOTE: Merrill Hartson covers the White House for The Associated Press.

Gunman slays 14 including mother

HUNGERFORD, England (AP) — In a day of blood and fire, a man wearing combat clothes and carrying an assault rifle killed 14 people, including his mother, before committing suicide and leaving this quiet town in a state of shock.

Police today were trying to establish a motive for 27-year-old Michael Ryan's indiscriminate rampage Wednesday, which apparently started in a forest outside town and ended seven hours later in an empty school.

In the midst of the rampage, the man neighbors described as a gun-loving loner and "oddball" went to the home he shared with his 60-year-old widowed mother, shot her to death, and set fire to the house.

"It is a complete mystery. We genuinely do not know why he did it," Thames Valley Police said today in a statement. They said Ryan left no note or explanation for the massacre, the worst such attack in modern British history.

The dead included a policeman and a woman whose body was found in Savernake Forest, eight miles outside of town. Ryan is believed to have killed the woman as she and her two young children were having a picnic, then gone into Hungerford, a village of 8,000 60 miles west of London.

Sixteen people were injured. Two remained in the intensive care unit of Princess Margaret Hospital in nearby Swindon today.

Eyewitnesses gave dramatic accounts.

"He was just strolling along the road shooting at anything that moved," said Barbara Morley.

Hazel Haslett and Linda Bright said they were the first ambulance crew on the scene. They credited their vehicle's windshield with saving their lives.

Mrs. Bright was cut by flying glass, but the two managed to rescue four people shot by Ryan.

"The gunman went into one house where there were two old people, and he blew them apart. Another man opened his door and he was shot in the leg," said Carl Harris, an off-duty soldier whose parents live in Hungerford.

Harris said Ryan wore a headband and what appeared to be "an American-style military jacket."

Student counts show decrease

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268 (324); East, 262 (312); West, 392 (384); Northeast, 297 (336); and Stanfield, 291 (319).

The district-wide count by grades included kindergarten, 255 (298); first grade, 263 (308); second grade, 248 (280); third grade, 244 (262); fourth grade, 234 (240); fifth grade, 221 (245); and sixth grade, 209 (234).

The district did count a substantial increase in the pre-kindergarten program for four-year-olds. This was attributed to a greater awareness of the program rather than substantial increases in student numbers.

The program is offered only to families which qualify related to income and is offered only at North Elementary. This year, 52 pre-registered compared to 28 last year.

Students missing the pre-registration day Tuesday are asked to register the first day of school Sept. 1 at their respective school campus.

Youth exchange foreign visits

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"I was scared and had my seat belt on," Morton said.

He said he liked the German landscape and in general felt that the trip "was better than he expected." He signed up for the exchange program at school and Germany was his first choice.

"I liked seeing and learning about the customs and lifestyles of the German people," Morton said.

Since coming to America and Snyder in particular, Dossler has become quite a baseball fan, seeing three games the first week. The Mortons also took him to Cloudcroft, N. M. where they have a cabin.

At Alamogordo, N.M., they visited the space museum and they went trout fishing near Cloudcroft.

Also on the itinerary was a trip to Dallas, including Six Flags and a Rangers home baseball game.

"I like the friendly Texas people," Dossler said. "I have met no unfriendly people and I like seeing the different animals."

Dossler said he likes "seeing the differences between the two countries and the opportunity to improve his English."

This is Dossler's first trip to America. He has three younger sisters. His father is involved in marketing research and his mother sells household products at home.

Since German students attend school for 13 years, Dossler has two more years to complete before he can graduate from high school.

Trustees slate budget hearing

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board's authorized representative to receive commodities; and as the board's representative for national school lunch and child nutrition programs.

—The appointment of Bobbie Box as the district's "at risk" coordinator.

—Adopting the free and reduced meal eligibility guidelines.

—Approving a schedule for teacher appraisals related to career ladder selection during the coming school year.

—Personnel actions to include resignations and reassignments of school staffers.

Petroleum prices

NEW YORK (AP) — Petroleum cash prices Wednesday as compared with Tuesday's prices.

	Wed.	Tue.
Refined Products		
Fuel oil No. 2 NY hbr bg gl fob	.5075	.5125
Gasoline reg. NY hbr bg gl fob	.5180	.5225
Gasoline unleaded NY hbr bg gl fb	.5075	.5125
Prices provided by Oil Buyer's Guide.		
Petroleum - Crude Grades		
Saudi Arabian light	17.10	17.35
North Sea Brent $ per bbl fob	18.60	18.75
West Texas Intermed $ per bbl fob	19.85	19.90
Alaska No. Slope del. US Gulf Cst	n18.35	n18.60

Obituaries

A. D. Humphrey

Services for A. D. Humphrey, 84, of Snyder Oaks, former Palestine resident, will be at 2 p.m. Saturday at Bailey-Foster Funeral Home Chapel in Palestine with the Rev. Earl King and the Rev. T. D. Taylor officiating. Burial will follow in Land of Memory Cemetery in Palestine. Local arrangements were handled by Bell-Cypert-Seale Funeral Home.

He died at approximately 3:30 p.m. Wednesday at Snyder Oaks. He was born Feb. 14, 1903 in Nagocdoches.

He was married to Zeffie Ann Carlisle Aug. 11, 1929 in Athens, Tex. She died Dec. 26, 1986.

He was a member of the North Jackson Baptist Church in Palestine and was a retired employee of the Missouri Pacific Railroad.

He is survived by one son, A. M. "Mac" Humphrey, and a daughter-in-law, Virginia Humphrey, both of Snyder; two grandchildren, Michael Ray Humphrey of Colorado City and Hope Hawkins of Raleigh, N. C.; five great-grandchildren; six sisters, Novice Perkins, Jimmie Nix and Bernice Thomas, all of Forney; Mamie Leigh Woods of Mineola, Helen Lynn of Houston and Leuder Thomas, address unknown; and one brother, Eugene Humphrey of Waco.

Perry Rodman

Services for Perry Rodman, 72, of Snyder will be held at 10 a.m. Friday at Bell-Cypert-Seale Chapel with his nephew, the Rev. Jesse Faulkenberry, presiding. Burial will follow in Snyder Cemetery.

He died at 9:45 a.m. Wednesday at Cogdell Memorial Hospital. He was born Sept. 23, 1914 in Scurry County.

He was a brand inspector for the Texas and Southwest Cattle Raisers Association, a former deputy in the Lloyd Mountain Community and farmer at Lloyd Mountain for many years.

He was a member of Bethel Baptist Church.

His grandparents were early settlers in the Lloyd Mountain area. He was married to Wilma Lee Faulkenberry on June 14, 1941 in Sweetwater. She survives.

He is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Jerry "Rita" House of Snyder; four grandsons; two step-grandsons; one brother, J. C. of El Paso; and five nieces and nephews.

Pallbearers will include Vic Miller, Ed Thrift, Ray Read, and Dick Fowler.

Markets
Midday Stocks

NEW YORK (AP)

	High	Low	Last
AMR Corp	62⅛	61¼	61⅜
Ameritech s	95¼	94½	94½
AMI Inc	19⅞	19¾	19¾
AmStand	51⅜	50⅞	51¼
Amer T&T	34¾	34⅝	34½
Amoco	79¾	79	79⅜
Armcolnc	13⅛	13	13⅛
AtlRichfld	92¼	91⅝	91⅞
BakerHugh n	24⅛	23⅞	24
BancTexas n	4	4	4
BellAtlan	75⅝	74⅞	75⅛
BellSouth s	42⅝	42¼	42½
Beth Steel	17⅝	17⅜	17½
Borden	61⅞	60⅝	61⅞
Caterpllr	64⅞	64¼	64¾
Centel	71¼	71	71
Chevron	58⅞	58⅜	58⅜
Chrysler s	45	44¼	44¼
Coastal s	39¼	38¾	38¾
CocaCola	50¾	50⅛	50⅛
Coleman	40¾	40½	40⅝
Colg Palm	51⅞	51½	51⅝
ComlMetl s	21¾	21¾	21¾
DeltaAirl	58¼	57⅜	57½
DigitalEq	180⅞	180½	180¾
DowChem	96½	95⅞	96½
DressrInd	32½	32¼	32½
duPont	128	127½	127⅝
EstKodak	100⅞	100¼	100¼
Enserch	24⅜	23⅞	24⅜
EntexInc	15⅞	15⅝	15⅝
Exxon	98⅜	97¾	97⅞
Exxon wi	49½	49¼	49⅜
FederalCo s	43	42½	42⅞
Firestone	45⅝	44½	45⅜
FtBcpTex	2	1⅞	2
FstRepub	25⅛	24⅞	24⅞
FlowerInd	29⅜	29⅛	29¼
FordMotr	109¾	108⅝	108¾
GAF Cp	55⅛	55	55⅜
GTE Corp s	43¼	42¾	43
GnDynam	72¼	71⅝	71⅝
GenElct s	64¾	64¼	64¼
GenMills s	60¾	60	60¼
Gen Motors	92⅝	92¼	92¼
GnMotr E	48¼	47⅝	48⅛
GOODRICH	58	58	58⅜
Goodyear	74⅛	73⅞	74
GtAtlPac	42¼	42	42¼
Gulf Sta t	7⅝	7½	7⅝
Haliburtn	40¾	40	40⅜
HolidayCp n	30⅜	30	30⅛
HoustInd	34½	34	34⅛
IBM	173⅝	173⅛	173¼
IntlPaper s	53⅝	53⅛	53⅛
JohnsJn	102¾	102	102⅝
K mart s	47⅝	46¾	47⅛
Kroger s	38⅜	37⅞	37⅞
vjLTV Cp	4⅞	4¾	4¾
Litton Ind	103½	103¼	103½
LoneSta Ind	35⅝	35	35
Lowes s	28¼	27¾	28⅛
Lubys	31½	31¼	31¼
MCorp	8	7¾	7⅞
Maxus n	14	13¾	14
MayDSt	48¾	48¼	48⅜
Medtronic	104¼	103¾	104
Mobil	50¾	50⅛	50¼
Monsanto	97	96½	96⅞
Motorola	64¼	63⅝	64
Navistar	8⅛	7⅞	8
Nynex	74¾	74¼	74½
PacTel s	31	30½	30¾
PenneyJC s	65	64½	64⅝
Phelps Dod	46¾	46⅛	46⅝
PhilipPet	17¾	17⅝	17⅝
Polaroid s	33½	33	33⅜
Primerica s	47⅛	46⅞	47
ProctGamb	101	100⅛	100⅝
PubS NwMx	31⅞	31⅝	31¾
Sabine	17¼	17¼	17¼
SFeSouPac	54	53⅝	53¾
SearsRoeb	57¾	57¼	57¼
SherwinWm	36⅛	35½	36
Singer Co	50¾	50⅜	50⅜
Southern Co	23⅝	23⅜	23½
Southland	75½	75¼	75¼
SwstBell s	41⅝	41⅛	41⅛
SunComp	62⅝	62	62¼
TNP Ent	21½	21¼	21⅜
Tandy	48¾	48½	48½
TempleInld s	64⅝	64⅛	64¼
Tenneco	53⅞	53½	53½
vjTexaco	43¾	43	43
TexAmBneh	10¾	10½	10⅝
TexEastn	39	38⅞	39
TexasInd	32½	32½	32½
TexasInst s	69⅝	69⅛	69½
Tex Util	33⅞	33½	33⅝
Textron s	35½	35	35⅛
Tyler	15⅛	15⅛	15⅛
USX Corp	37¾	37¼	37¾
UnCarbde	28½	27⅝	27¾
UnPacCp	80½	79¾	79¾
US West	56⅝	56¼	56¼
UniTel	32⅜	32⅛	32¼
Unocal	40⅛	39¾	39⅞
WalMart s	41¾	41	41⅜
WestghEl	70¾	69⅞	70½
Xerox Cp	80¾	80¼	80½
ZenithE	31⅛	31⅝	31⅝

3 arrests here occur Wednesday

Police arrested a 19-year-old Snyder man at 12:32 a.m. Wednesday in the 3500 Block of College Ave. for driving with his license suspended and possession of narcotics paraphernalia.

A 33-year-old woman was arrested at 4:47 p.m. Wednesday at a supermarket in the 4100 Block of College for Class B theft. A 14-year-old girl who was with the woman was also taken into custody and was later released to her family, police reported.

An 11-year-old boy was arrested for shoplifting at 9:24 p.m. at a convenience store on the East Highway. He was later released to his parents.

Cash said taken from local auto

The theft of cash from a local's vehicle was reported to police Wednesday.

Rhonda West of the Windridge Apartments reported at 5:15 p.m. that $120 had been stolen from her car.

Hospital Notes

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Prominent small town folk often fall victim to politics

By The Associated Press

For public employees in many small Texas cities, the most difficult part of the job is keeping it.

Prominent officials — such as school superintendents, city managers, fire chiefs and others — answer to the political whims of public boards which change with each local election.

High-profile professionals get fired in cities around Texas every month, and nothing draws attention in small city politics like a dispute over a dismissal.

"In small towns, a lot of issues revolve around personality conflicts," said Delbert Taebel, an urban studies professor at the University of Texas at Arlington. "The appointed officials have to go head to head with people wherever they go in town. And sometimes they lose."

Some observers say the smaller the town, the more often political infighting accounts for the firing of employees.

"In a dispute, it doesn't help a council member to blame another member," says former Wylie city manager Gus Pappas, who was fired in April. "It's easier to blame someone like the city manager, because he doesn't have political backing."

Pappas said his firing resulted from a misunderstanding of the council-manager form of city government. He was fired during a special meeting of the council a week after the city's municipal elections.

"He just wasn't doing the job we wanted from a city manager," said council member Sandra Donovon, who led the drive to fire Pappas.

But Pappas said he was fired because incoming council members differed with the previous council on several key policies.

Eagleton returned to Syria; Glass connection is denied

WASHINGTON (AP) — The next step in improving U.S. relations with Syria will be the return of Ambassador William Eagleton to Damascus, U.S. officials say, but the Reagan administration is trying to prevent the move from being seen as a reward for the freedom of hostage Charles Glass.

Two administration officials, speaking only on condition of anonymity, said Wednesday a decision to send the ambassador back around Sept. 1 was made before Glass gained his freedom in Beirut on Tuesday.

"We don't want Eagleton to be a reward for Glass," one official said. Some U.S. analysts are convinced the Syrians, at U.S. behest, put pressure on Iran, which it is helping in the Persian Gulf war with Iraq, to free Glass and eight other American hostages also believed to be held in the Lebanese capital.

In fact, the official said, the ambassador's return might be set back a little bit to separate it from Glass's liberation.

Despite the decision to send Eagleton back, Syria remains on the State Department's list of countries that sponsor terrorism. The others cited are Cuba, Iran, Libya and South Yemen.

The official said he knew of no consideration being given to removing Syria from the list.

Eagleton was withdrawn last fall to show strong U.S. disapproval of what American and British experts concluded was Syrian support for terrorism. High-level U.S. contacts with President Hafez Assad's government were banned by President Reagan, and a number of other diplomatic and economic sanctions were imposed.

Grass fire causes units to respond

City fire fighters Wednesday afternoon answered a grass fire call 21 miles east of Snyder that they determind upon arrival was in Fisher County.

The Sweetwater fire department was then notified of the fire along railroad right-of-way and came to extinguish it, a department spokesman here said.

After the 4:35 p.m. call, the firemen traveled east on U.S. 84 to Hermleigh and then toward Pyron before finding the blaze.

Making the right choice

Age at retirement affects benefits

By Eric R. Kingson

(Second of six-parts)

Workers who have contributed to Social Security for enough years earn both retirement and family benefits. But the amounts vary depending upon your earnings on jobs covered by Social Security, what types of benefits you are receiving and at what age you begin receiving them.

Social Security benefits are generally defined as a certain percentage of the primary insurance amount, or PIA. Think of the PIA as the benefit you are entitled to if you first receive benefits at the normal retirement age, which is now 65.

But you can retire earlier or later.

• Normal Retirement Benefit: If you were born before 1938, you will be eligible for 100 percent of the primary amount, at age 65. (The normal retirement age will increase gradually to age 67 between 2003 and 2027, with larger reductions for early retirement phased in gradually beginning in 2000.)

• Early Retirement Benefit: Most retirees actually begin receiving benefits before age 65. If you were born before 1938 and retire early (that is, claim benefits early), your benefit is permanently reduced 5/9 of 1 percent for each month of retirement before your 65th birthday. That works out to a benefit of 80 percent if you claim benefits before 2000 at the earliest possible age, 62.

• Delayed Retirement Benefit: For those reaching 65 from 1982 through 1989, the ultimate benefit is increased by ¼ of a percent for each month benefits are not received after normal retirement age (up to the age of 70). That's 3 percent a year. For people who delay retirement until age 70, their benefit will be 115 percent of their PIA. For people reaching 65 prior to 1982, the delayed retirement credit was 1/12 percent a month, or 1 percent a year. (Beginning in 1990, the increase for delayed retirement will gradually rise to 8 percent a year for workers who delay their retirement past normal retirement ages in 2009 and later.)

• Special Minimum Benefits: This benefit, an alternative way of computing the PIA, is designed to help workers who have worked consistently, but at low wages, in jobs covered by Social Security.

Family members of living retired and disabled workers may be eligible to receive auxiliary benefits.

• Benefits for Older Spouses: Spouses aged 62 and over may be eligible to receive the higher of either a benefit based on their own earnings, or a benefit currently equal to between 37.5 and 50 percent of the retired worker's PIA. Spouse benefits are permanently reduced for each month of receipt before age 65, currently to 37.5 percent of the retired worker's PIA for those accepting this benefit at the earliest age, 62. Also, spouses are usually eligible for Medicare at age 65.

• Spouse Benefits for Fathers and Mothers: Regardless of age, the spouse of a retired worker who is caring for a child under 16 or regularly performing personal services for a child of any age who was disabled before age 22 is eligible for a spouse benefit equal to 50 percent of the retired worker's PIA.

• Benefits for Divorced Spouses: Divorced spouses generally receive the same benefits as married spouses, as long as they were married to the eligible retired worker for at least 10 years.

• Children's and Grandchildren's Benefits: Unmarried dependent children and certain dependent grandchildren under age 18 may be eligible for a benefit equal to 50 percent of the retired or disabled worker's PIA.

• Adult Disabled Child's Benefits: The same benefits, 50 percent of a retired or disabled worker's PIA, may be payable in certain cases to unmarried disabled children who are at least age 18, if the disability began before age 22. They may also receive Medicare benefits after a 24-month waiting period.

There is a ceiling on the amount of monthly benefits that can be paid on a worker's earnings record, generally ranging between 150 and 180 percent of the worker's PIA for that workers' family.

Benefits are also subject to an earning test — one for non-disabled beneficiaries below 65 ($6,000 in 1987) and one for people age 65 through 69 ($8,160 in 1987). Workers age 70 or older can earn as much as they want without it affecting their benefits. But a retired worker under age 70, spouse, widow, widower or dependent child beneficiary will lose $1 for every $2 of earnings in excess of the earnings ceiling. Beginning in 1990, benefits will be reduced by $1 for every $3 in excess of the earnings ceiling, for persons who reach full retirement age (65 in 1990).

(Next: Survivors' benefits)

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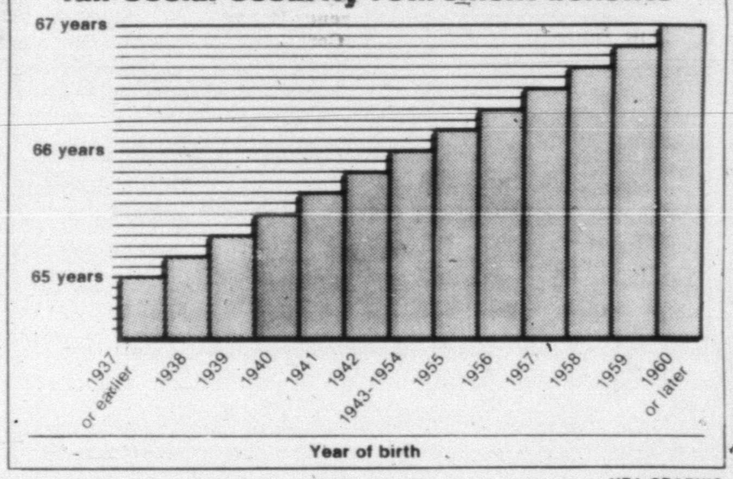
Retiring With Full Benefits

Age a person can collect full Social Security retirement benefits



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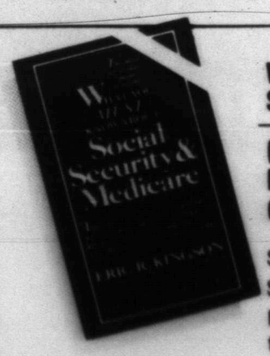
Sixty-five is now the normal retirement age, the age at which a person can retire and collect full Social Security retirement benefits. But beginning in 2003, the retirement age will gradually increase.



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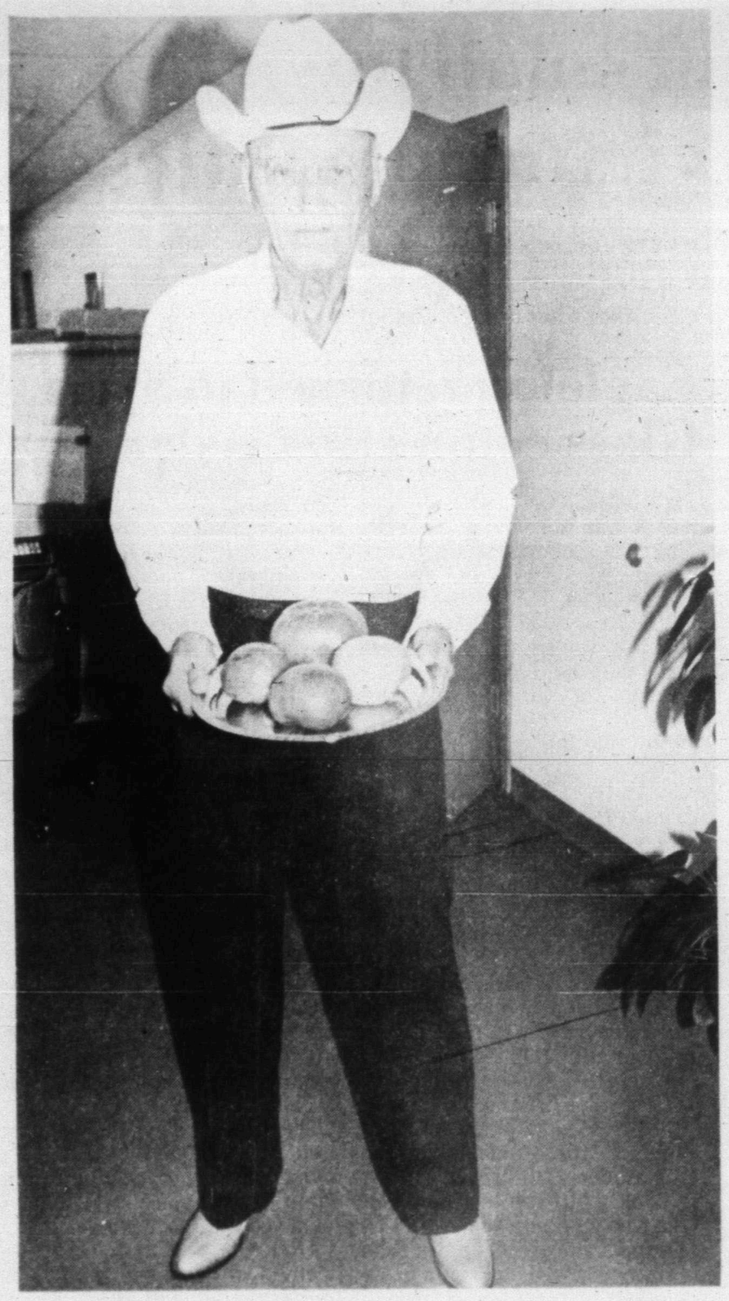

LARGE TOMATOES--Philip Fisher of 2101 41st grew these large tomatoes in his garden. The largest one weighed one pound nine ounces and measured 15½ inches around. The tomato vines in his garden are six feet tall. (SDN Staff Photo)

JP upset about judges taking wedding business

HOUSTON (AP) — A Harris County justice of the peace said he is embarrassed for state district judges who actively pursue wedding-bound couples who come to the courthouse looking for a justice of the peace to perform the ceremony.

"I've been seeing fewer people lately," said Justice of the Peace Laurence Wayne. "People come looking for JPs (for wedding ceremonies), and they're being intercepted."

"I'm embarrassed for the judges," Wayne told the Houston Chronicle. "I've run out of things to say about those guys."

"I guess they ought to go back to practicing law where they make more money," Wayne added.

District Judge Bill Harmon was sitting in front of the courthouse Wednesday, looking for couples who have obtained their marriage license and are searching for someone to perform the ceremony.

The couples are easy to spot, he says, because of a large manila envelope one of them carries. It contains the wedding license they've just obtained from the county clerk's office.

Harmon, 35, makes $78,000 a year.

But for the past three weeks he has been stopping couples in front of the courthouse and asking if they need a judge to perform the ceremony.

He says that during noon hours and afternoon breaks in his continuous murder, rape and robbery trials, and while his juries are deliberating, he has made several hundred dollars performing marriages.

He estimates he's done about 25 weddings at $25 each during the past three weeks.

"It's like picking up $25 you find on the ground," he said, admitting to some embarrassment about doing it. "I wish I didn't have to do it. But I am. I'm definitely soliciting marriages to supplement my income."

When he became a district judge he made $74,000 a year, he said. A 3 percent raise brought the figure to $78,000, but he's not getting a raise this year.

The newspaper estimated that justices of the peace like Wayne are able to double their $60,000 annual salary doing weddings mainly because they perform numerous services at night and on weekends.

Because so much money is available for so little work, a number of people, including a man with a pickup and plastic flowers who runs a "chapel on wheels," have horned in on what the justices of the peace view as an outright gravy train.

State District Judge Woody Densen also made a good income last year getting elevator operators in the criminal courts building to steer wedding prospects to his sixth-floor courtroom.

Densen even offered services at a $19.95-per-ceremony special price for a while, the newspaper reported.

But, county officials stopped that by transferring many of Densen's operators to other buildings and handing down stern warnings to the rest. Operators now advise couples that judges are available for marriages throughout the building.

Oil glut worries lower prices

NEW YORK (AP) — Oil prices have continued to weaken amid market worries that world production of crude oil and refined products is outstripping demand.

Contracts for September delivery of West Texas Intermediate, the benchmark U.S. crude grade, closed 27 cents lower at $19.63 a barrel Wednesday in heavy trading at the New York Mercantile Exchange.

Tuesday's price had risen 7 cents from Monday's 74-cent plunge to $19.83 a barrel, which was the first time a near-month contract had closed below $20 since June 25, when it settled at $19.64 per 42-gallon barrel.

The September contract peaked at $22.39 a barrel on July 17.

Prices for refined oil products also fell Wednesday.

September contracts for wholesale unleaded gasoline dropped 0.66 cent a gallon to 50.81 cents, while wholesale heating oil fell 0.58 cent to 51.15 cents a gallon.

Analysts said an apparent glut of oil supplies on the market was mainly responsible for driving prices lower.

Various estimates place the amount of that overproduction by members of the 13-nation Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries at 1 million to 2.5 million barrels a day over its official daily ceiling of 16.6 million barrels.

Late Tuesday the American Petroleum Institute, a Washington, D.C.-based industry group, reported that domestic crude inventories rose by 1.1 million barrels last week, to 324.3 million barrels.

Distillate stocks — which include heating oil — were up 4.3 million gallons to 119.4 million gallons.

While unleaded gasoline supplies were down by 1.7 million barrels, to 227.2 million barrels, production jumped from 6.7 million gallons to 7.2 million gallons daily.

The figures only reinforced the market's already dark mood, said James Steel, an analyst at Refco Inc, Commodities.

"Prices at the moment are encouraging overproduction," he said. "When you have all this crude oil on hand, you have no choice but to refine."

He said that even though the API report showed that gasoline stockpiles dropped last week, "there's still more than enough."

Steel and other analysts also said Monday's sharp plunge marked a turnaround of speculation, in previous weeks, that some sort of confrontation in the Persian Gulf would result in oil supply cuts, driving prices higher.

As the market shifted its attention from politics to the fundamentals of supply and demand, the worries over surpluses resulted in this week's declines, analysts said.

Contras to appeal for continued aid

WASHINGTON (AP) — Leaders of the Nicaraguan Contra rebel movement plan to meet next week with President Reagan to express their view that the Central America peace plan is not tough enough on Nicaragua's ruling Sandinistas, a Contra official says.

Alfredo Cesar says he hopes to obtain administration commitment for a new, conditional Contra aid package — one that could be passed by Congress but would only be used if the Sandinistas did not live up to the peace agreement they signed Aug. 7 along with Costa Rica, Honduras, El Salvador and Guatemala.

Cesar and others of the six-member directorate that heads the Contra umbrella group Nicaraguan Resistance will travel next week to Santa Barbara, Calif., where Reagan is vacationing, Cesar said in a telephone interview from Costa Rica on Wednesday.

A "working meeting" with high-level administration officials is planned to discuss positions on such issues as cease-fire negotiations, new aid to the Contras and Soviet aid to Nicaragua, Cesar said.

Although they have expressed a willingness to give the new peace plan a chance, Contra leaders are voicing skepticism about Nicaraguan President Daniel Ortega's intention to comply with it.

They say pressure is needed to force the Sandinistas to live up to their agreements under the plan, and the incentive should be the threat of renewed U.S. aid to the Contras. The current aid package runs out Sept. 30.

In recent interviews, the Contras also expressed reservations about the peace plan's omission of the Contras from a national reconciliation dialogue, failure to require a cutoff of Soviet aid to Nicaragua, lack of sanctions for non-compliance, and failure to require disbandment of the Sandinista Party army in favor of a national army.

The so-called Guatemala plan says that by Nov. 5, a cease-fire should be negotiated in both Nicaragua and El Salvador, Nicaragua must implement democratization steps such as press freedoms, new elections and lifting of the state of emergency and foreign aid to insurgents such as the Contras must stop.

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Counseling is available for vet problems

Veterans who have fallen behind in their GI home loan mortgage payments can call on the Veterans Administration for counseling, E. H. (Dan) Dever, Jr., Scurry County Veterans Service Officer, says.

The first step for a veteran experiencing mortgage payment difficulties is to contact the lender and make arrangements to bring the loan up to date. If an agreement with the lender cannot be reached, the veteran should contact the VA. After reviewing the veteran's financial situation, VA counselors can sometimes develop a payment plan acceptable to the mortgage company. As an alternative, VA counselors may advise the veteran to sell the property to protect his equity.

Veterans who need information about benefits and services offered through the VA may contact Dever's office at Western Texas College by calling 573-8511.

Big Spring plans Wellness Clinic

The Big Spring VA Medical Center is planning a Women Veterans Recognition Day and Wellness Clinic on Nov. 10, E. H. (Dan) Dever, Jr., Scurry County Veterans Service Officer, said.

The observanace is intended to focus attention on the contributions of women in the Armed Forces.

"Because of their traditional roles as non-combatants, the heroism of military women in war has been overlooked," Tom Balderach, Public Information Officer for the Big Spring facility, said. "However, they too have paid the price for freedom."

The Wellness Clinic is designed for the prevention of illness through early diagnosis and education.

Women veterans interested in the program are asked to contact Carolyn Reed at the Big Spring Medical Center, 2400 S. Gregg, Big Spring, Tex. 79720.

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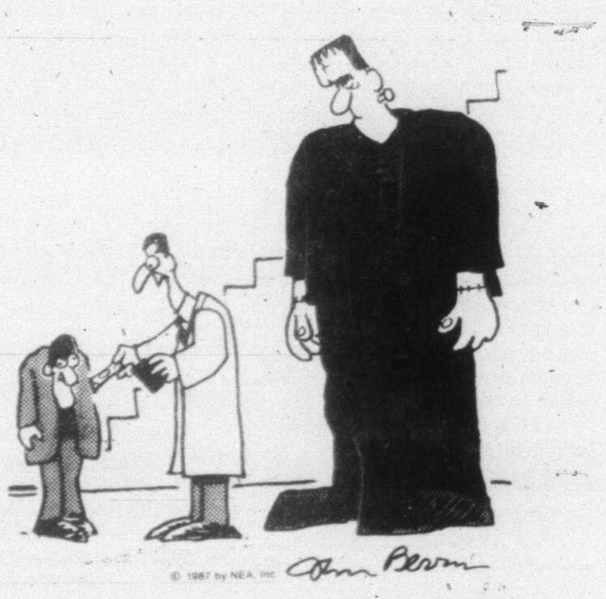

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